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LEADING SCORERS

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FIRST DIVISION

- 11 - Fashanu (Norwich)
9 - Shaw (Villa), Birdie (Man Utd, all for Forest)
8 - Easton, Latchford (Everton), Ward (Sheff Wed), Delgastel (Liverpool)
7 - Stapleton (Aston), Mowley, White (Villa), Smith (Birmingham), Allen (Preston), McBride (Everton), Marner (Norwich), Archibald, Crooks

Modell (Spurs), Regis (West Brom)

SECOND DIVISION

- 10 - Lee (Charlton), Podber (Watford), Cross (West Ham), 8 - Walker (Charlton), 7 - Garner, Stonehouse (Blackburn), Kidd (Bolton), Chisnall (Notts County), McCulloch (Sheff Wed), James (L), Swannell

THIRD DIVISION

- 13 - Kellow (Barnsley), Kew (Plymouth)

12 - Morris (Blackpool)

11 - Glavin (Barnsley), Kates (Charlton), Birch (Charlton)

FOURTH DIVISION

- 14 - Cooke (Peterborough), 14 - Holman (Rushden), Lumley (Tranmere), 12 - Harford (Lincoln)



Sammy's a sensation

Liverpool's Lee hailed as the new Callaghan



LIVERPOOL'S Sammy Lee — the man who is keeping Jimmy Case on the substitute's bench this season.

LOCAL LAD Sammy Lee is the youngster who is keeping hot-shot Jimmy Case out of the Liverpool team this season.

And judging by 21-year-old Sammy's tremendous form, Jimmy — the player with the cannon ball shot — has a tough battle ahead to try and recapture the 'champions' No. 8 shirt.

But Sammy, who is hailed by team-mate and England international Phil Neal as Liverpool's new Ian Callaghan, is under no illusions as to what he has to do to keep his place.

"I am enjoying every minute of my extended run in the first team but I know that if my form slips Jimmy will be recalled and I will be back in the reserves again. "Obviously I am hoping that I can carry on in the first team but there are 11 internationals in the squad and I have a hard task ahead of me."

Sammy, who joined Liverpool straight from school, had made just seven full League appearances for them before the start of this season.

"At the moment I am looking no further than the next game — I just want to consolidate my place in the side," he told Match.

Highlight of Sammy's season so far was

the recent derby match at Goodison Park against Everton when the two teams drew two each.

"It was my first ever taste of derby match atmosphere and I loved every minute of it — it was really special."

And even though Sammy is a relative newcomer to the First Division scene he has already realised that opposing teams reserve their best for the champions.

"There is a lot of pressure on the Liverpool players because we know that every team in the League wants to beat us more than anybody else.

"This means that every match we play is like a cup-tie and the pressure is on us to keep up our own high standards.

"But it is the kind of pressure we are used to and the players know exactly what is expected of them," added Sammy.

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Third time lucky

THIS TIME last season Peterborough United's new goalscoring sensation Robbie Cooke was selling brass pipes and radiators to plumbers in Mansfield.

Now he's the Football League's leading scorer after grabbing his third chance of a career in football and repaying Peterborough manager Peter Morris's dogged faith in the young striker.

Robbie, who cracked home 14 goals in the first nine weeks of the season, was rejected twice by Mansfield Town who did not think he would make the grade. And he had nearly given up all hope of a playing career.

But after two sparkling seasons for non-League Grantham Town, which produced 83 goals, Robbie was again attracting the scouts.

And in the close season he signed for Morris for the second time in his career.

Morris snapped up Robbie for Mansfield

Left: Peterborough's Robbie Cooke beats the goalkeeper Southall with this shot in Posh's home game against Bury. Far left: Flashback to 'Match Weekly', November 1, showing Cooke top of the League scorers.

Goal-getter Cooke grabs his chance at last

after he had been released by previous manager David Smith. But as soon as Morris moved on Robbie was on his way out again.

"It was obvious that Peter saw qualities in me that the other managers did not and that's why I was very happy to sign for him again," Robbie told Match.

He chose Fourth Division Peterborough even though he was offered terms by Cambridge United boss John Docherty.

"I thought I would stand more chance of first team football with Peterborough and things have worked out better than I could have dreamed.

"My immediate aim when I signed was to establish myself in the first team — I never thought that I would become the League's leading scorer.

"As I expected the Fourth Division is much

more skilful and the defenders better organised than in Southern and Alliance League soccer. The pace is faster, too."

Robbie's sparkling early season form has prompted many First and Second Division clubs to take an interest in the 23-year-old striker.

"It is very flattering to hear that bigger teams are watching me but at the moment all I am interested in is helping 'Posh' get promotion and to keep scoring goals.

"I am as ambitious as the next man and would love to try my hand in a higher grade of football but I have a lot to learn yet," added Robbie.

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Future looks Rosy!

Great start by Chelsea's double-barrelled kid

EIGHTEEN-year-old Peter Rhoades-Brown gave Wrexham both barrels on his home debut for Chelsea.

It was the first match of the season and the 'Blues' were a goal down when Peter picked up the ball on the right wing.

Seeing his chance, he cut inside and whacked a 30-yarder past a bemused Dai Davies in the Welsh team's goal.

Some start for the youngster with just one full League match under his belt!

But it wasn't going to be bouquets all the way for the new Stamford Bridge star known affectionately to his team mates as 'Rosy'.

He held his place for the next game — a 3-2 defeat at Derby — and was sub for the following match against Shrewsbury, but then he missed five matches.

"I went through a bit of a bad patch and I was dropped.

"But my game picked up again in the reserves and I came back as sub against Preston and laid on the equaliser for Colin Lee," said Peter, who was rated Chelsea's star man in that match — and the following

two — in our Match Facts ratings.

Since that comeback Peter has been a regular on the London side's left flank as they chase the promotion spot that just eluded them last season.

But naturally his League debut — when he came on as sub against Wrexham last season — is still vivid in his memory.

"Gary Johnson was due to be sub for the game but he went down ill. I couldn't believe it when the manager first told me the number 12 shirt was mine.

"But I was OK once I got into the changing rooms. The other players helped me forget my nerves and I went on for about the last 20 minutes.

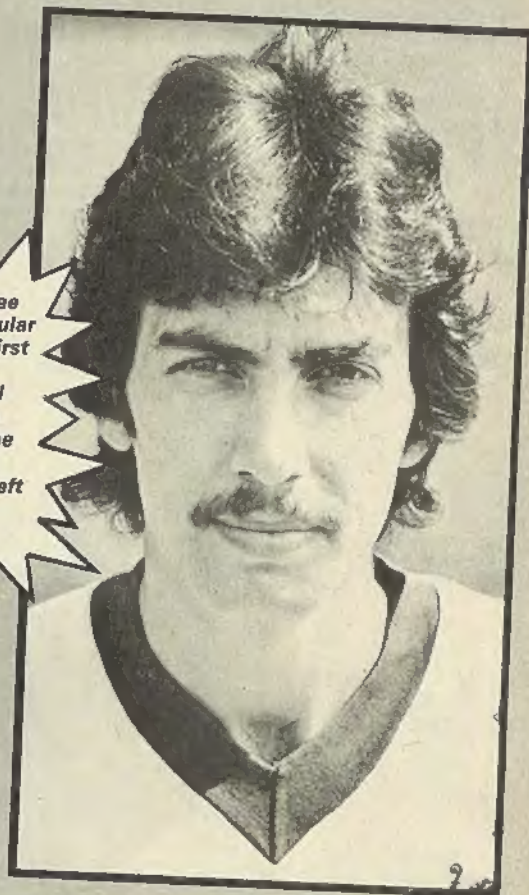
"To be honest I've found playing in the League a little easier than I expected.

"I seem to have had more openings in the first team than I had playing for the reserves.

"And, of course, playing in front of a big crowd helps raise your game — especially the Chelsea crowd who get behind the team even when things are not going so well.

HERE we turn the spotlight on three exciting young stars making a regular impact in League football for the first time this season.

Robbie Cooke — the sensational Peterborough striker leading the scoring charts, Sammy Lee — the Merseyside youngster and Peter Rhoades-Brown — the Chelsea left winger.



Peter Rhoades-Brown — one of the new stars at Stamford Bridge.

"Now I just hope I can be consistent. My heading ability needs improving and so does my right foot — if you are all left foot defenders can read you too well — but my own defending has improved.

"I know I've still got a lot of hard work to do but at the moment I just want to be successful with Chelsea."

Find out how our trio of New faces fared for their respective clubs on Saturday by turning to our exclusive, up-to-the-minute Match Facts section at the back of the magazine.

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ALLAN Simonsen (right), the brilliant little Danish international who was the European Footballer of the Year before Kevin Keegan took over, is interested in moving to England and Nottingham Forest are rumoured to be favourites to sign him.

The arrival of West German European Championship star Bernd Schuster at Barcelona has made Simonsen the favourite to be sold and the Spanish Press are

openly reporting that Forest have made a bid.

Simonsen said: "I am still living in Barcelona and I like it here, but the club has got a lot of problems and if it is true that Forest are interested in me I would like to go."

Meanwhile big problems are piling up in Spain. A players' strike could bring league soccer to a grinding halt tomorrow (November 9) for an indefinite period.

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Chris Christenings!

A QUICK glance at the Newcastle side which beat Shrewsbury recently and you could be excused for thinking you'd missed a couple of famous name transfers to St James' Park.

Waddle and Withe both made encouraging debuts, but these two are both named Chris, one the cousin of top Swansea marksman Alan, formerly of Liverpool and the other, the brother of Aston Villa's Peter.

Withe (18), in fact turned down his native Liverpool, to join the Magpies, while Waddle (19), rejected by Sunderland, was given his chance after scoring 20 goals for none-league Tow Law and nine goals in ten games for Newcastle's successful Central League side.

Now he's hoping to bang 'em in against Second Division opposition and earn enough success to buy the car he wants to avoid catching the two buses he currently takes to training, from his home in Wardley.



ANTE HERO!

LATEST in a long-line of Yugoslavs to make an impact on English football is their Olympic captain Ante Mirocic, seen here scoring on his debut for Sheffield Wednesday against Orient on October 25.

Capped in the recent defeats of Argentina, Italy, Uruguay, Poland, Rumania, Greece and Cyprus, Ante impressed Jack Charlton on a month's trial before the Hillsborough boss agreed to pay £200,000 for this experienced goalmaker and goalscorer.

Pejic's lone vigil

MIKE Pejic has made only six first team appearances for Aston Villa since his move from Everton last season and his hopes of making a return to the Midland club's first team this term have been sadly dashed because of a long term pelvic injury.

He is rarely seen at Villa Park these days, and is now resting on his farm in Wales and carrying out specialist exercises in the hope that the injury clears up.



Thanks, Ron

"IT WAS nice to be remembered." That was the reaction from Manchester City striker Kevin Reeves following his re-appearance on the international scene for England 'B' in the friendly against the USA.

"But then that's the nice thing about Ron Greenwood," added Kevin. "He keeps faith with his players."

Kevin, who came on as sub in the 1-0 victory over the United States at Old Trafford, remains ambitious for a regular place in the full England side, eager to add to his two full caps.

And at just 22-years-of-age he has time on his side.

But he was bluntly honest when he admitted: "I don't think I've done anything to justify a place in the first two months of the season."

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Soccer plan '81

LOOK OUT! Next season could see football transformed into a Sunday spectacular with teams playing for three points for a win, producing fun for all the family.

That's the plan to be put before the Football League management committee following a gathering of club chairman whose recommendations include:

- A new points system with three for a win and one for a draw to encourage attacking football.
- Freedom to play anytime from Friday evening to Sunday afternoon, thus giving a Sunday soccer go-ahead.
- Shorter season from September to May in a bid to rekindle the fans' appetite for the game.

● Government help in stamping out hooliganism with harsher court sentences and tax relief to encourage clubs to install more seating.

I asked Bolton's former Manchester United and Newcastle midfielder Alan Gowling (right), one of the straight-talking leaders of the Professional Footballers Association, for his views:

"The new points plan should go some way to encourage attacking football but personally I would prefer to see a points for goals idea, goals are what the game's short of.

"As for Sunday football, I've no objection but I'm sure some players would object for religious reasons.

"Sunday seems to work well in Europe and in America, attracting a family audience and I recall it worked well during the power strike a few years ago. But I'd prefer Friday night football, that way fans and players would still be able to have a clear weekend.

"Certainly I'm in favour of a shorter season, though care would need to be taken over an already crowded fixture list and as for the hooligan problem it's a social disease.

"Football, I believe, has done enough, the government is shirking its responsibility by not giving longer sentences to hooligans."

Finally Gowling believes the problem of falling gates is not as bad as has been made out, but adds:



"Like many things we don't anticipate these problems until it's almost too late.

● What do you think? Are you in favour of a new points system, Sunday soccer and a shorter season? We'd like to know and will pay £2 for the best letters. Write to 'Soccer Plan', Match Weekly, Midgate House, Midgate, Peterborough.

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DIVISION 1	HOME					GOALS					AWAY					GOALS				
	P	W	D	L	F	A	P	W	D	L	F	A	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
Man. Utd.	16	8	0	1	14	5	4	1	18	12	24									
Derby	18	4	4	0	17	7	4	3	1	10	4	23								
Man. City	18	7	1	1	20	8	1	4	2	8	10	21								
Leeds	18	6	3	0	17	5	3	0	4	6	10	21								
Sheff. Utd.	18	4	3	1	15	8	5	0	3	11	10	21								
Liverpool	16	6	2	0	17	9	2	2	4	7	10	20								
Spurs	15	7	1	0	24	4	0	4	3	7	14	19								
Stoke	16	5	1	1	10	3	2	4	9	14	19									
Arsenal	15	5	0	2	14	5	4	0	4	10	11	18								
West Ham	16	5	2	2	12	6	1	3	3	7	9	17								
Coventry	16	4	4	0	12	7	1	3	4	9	17	17								
Chelsea	16	4	3	2	18	12	1	2	4	4	10	15								
Ipswich	16	3	4	2	9	8	1	3	3	5	7	15								
Wolves	16	4	4	0	16	10	1	1	6	6	15	15								
Southampton	16	3	2	2	11	8	2	1	8	10	21	13								
Leicester	16	2	3	3	5	6	2	2	4	10	15	13								
West Brom	16	1	2	5	4	8	2	3	3	5	6	11								
Everton	16	4	1	3	8	7	0	2	6	4	13	11								
Huddersfield	17	2	2	4	7	11	2	1	6	7	16	11								
Newcastle	16	3	2	3	11	9	0	2	6	4	15	10								
Mettm. F.	17	1	2	5	10	15	1	3	5	8	20	9								
C. Palace	16	2	1	4	8	11	1	2	6	4	18	9								

DIVISION 2	HOME					AWAY				
	P	W	D	L	F A	P	W	D	L	F A
Norwich	16	6	2	0	15 5	4	3	1	10	6 25
Millwall	16	6	3	0	17 10	2	4	1	11	10 23
Middlesbrough	16	8	0	1	14 8	2	1	4	8	11 21
Wolves	16	5	2	0	12 3	1	5	3	7	8 19
Bristol C.	16	6	1	2	23 11	2	2	3	9	9 19
Barnley	16	4	2	1	14 5	4	1	4	14	13 18
Birmingham	16	5	3	0	17 7	0	5	3	4	7 18
Sunderland	16	4	3	1	15 11	1	5	2	8	12 18
Preston	16	5	0	3	13 9	1	4	3	11	13 16
Portsmouth	15	4	4	1	18 14	1	2	3	7	9 18
Blackpool	16	4	4	1	12 7	0	3	4	5	8 15
Blackburn	16	5	2	1	14 8	0	3	5	7	14 15
Carlisle U.	16	5	2	1	17 6	1	0	7	4	12 14
Swindon	16	4	2	1	11 7	2	0	7	10	15 14
Charlton	16	3	2	2	9 4	1	4	4	3	9 14
Fulham	16	4	2	1	11 6	2	0	7	14	27 14
Luton	16	2	4	2	8 8	0	5	3	7	11 13
Orient	16	4	3	0	15 9	0	2	7	9	25 13
Hull	16	4	1	4	10 10	1	1	5	5	13 12
Cardiff	15	2	3	2	13 9	1	1	6	6	18 10
Walsley	16	2	4	2	8 8	0	8	5	21	8

DIVISION 1	HOME					AWAY					Goals	
	P	W	D	L	F A	P	W	D	L	F A		
Barnsley	16	9	0	0	21	6	2	3	2	12	7	25
Nett. Co.	16	5	1	2	14	8	5	3	0	14	5	24
Aston V.	16	6	0	2	16	5	3	2	3	13	13	20
Swansea	16	5	2	1	10	3	2	2	3	7	10	20
Chorleyfield	16	5	1	2	10	4	3	2	3	13	10	18
Blackburn	15	4	3	1	17	9	3	2	2	7	7	19
Blackburn	16	3	3	1	10	6	4	2	3	14	12	19
Shrewsbury	16	6	1	2	23	10	1	2	4	6	10	17
Wrexham	16	5	0	2	15	8	1	3	1	5	11	17
Plymouth	16	5	2	2	17	12	2	1	4	8	11	17
Bolton	15	3	3	2	7	5	2	3	2	8	8	16
Halifax	15	4	3	1	13	9	1	3	3	4	7	16
Bristol R.	15	5	0	1	19	7	1	3	5	8	16	15
Tranmere	16	4	4	0	10	3	0	3	5	7	15	15
Oldham	16	3	2	3	8	10	3	1	4	11	12	15
Reckdale	16	5	2	1	17	8	0	3	5	7	20	15
Port Vale	16	2	5	2	11	14	2	2	3	6	8	15
Bradford	16	4	2	1	13	9	2	0	7	8	19	14
York	16	2	3	2	9	8	2	1	6	13	19	12
Walsall	17	2	4	2	8	6	1	2	6	12	23	12
Barnsley	16	2	2	5	12	21	1	3	3	10	11	
Blackburn	16	4	1	3	10	10	0	2	8	3	17	11
Torquay	17	2	4	3	14	16	0	2	6	3	17	10
Mansfield	16	0	3	4	6	11	1	3	5	7	15	8

DIVISION 4	HOME Goals					AWAY Goals				
	P	W	D	L	F A Pts	P	W	D	L	F A Pts
Barnsley	16	7	1	1	30 6	1	4	2	4	5 21
Workington	16	5	3	1	19 3	1	6	0	8	7 21
Southport	16	6	2	0	25 8	3	1	4	10 9	9 21
Southend	16	6	1	1	16 7	2	3	3	8 10	20
Grimsby	16	6	1	2	22 12	3	1	3	10 14	20
Lincoln	16	7	1	0	20 5	1	2	5	9 18	19
Cambridge	16	5	2	1	21 8	2	2	4	6 14	18
Scunthorpe	16	5	3	1	8 4	4	1	3	10 11	18
Aldershot	16	1	8	2	9 9	4	2	1	10 11	18
Gillingham	16	6	1	2	15 8	1	2	3	7 12	17
Doncaster	16	4	2	2	14 8	3	1	4	7 12	17
Carlisle	16	5	1	0	15 6	1	2	6	8 10	17
Cheltenham	16	4	4	0	16 5	0	4	4	5 10	16
Northampton	16	4	2	1	16 5	1	4	4	7 18	16
Reading	16	5	0	2	12 7	2	2	5	5 20	16
Peterborough	16	6	0	2	20 7	0	2	5	9 20	14
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Derlington	15	1	4	1	4 3	2	0	7	9 26	10
Hartlepool	16	3	1	4	13 14	0	1	7	4 21	8

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

SCOTTISH — Div 1	HOME					AWAY					Goals	
	P	W	D	L	F A	P	W	D	L	F A		Pts
Aberdeen	16	5	0	0	19	3	2	0	8	2	18	
Celtic	16	3	1	1	16	5	5	0	12	3	17	
Hibernian	16	4	0	1	11	2	2	1	2	9	6	13
Rangers	16	3	0	2	12	6	3	0	2	15	7	12
St. Johnstone	16	3	1	1	12	8	2	1	2	7	7	12
Hearts	16	2	2	1	6	6	2	2	1	10	8	12
Dundee	16	2	2	1	10	5	2	1	2	9	9	11
Partick	16	3	2	0	12	8	0	3	2	5	12	11
Ayr	16	1	2	2	2	3	2	1	2	8	9	9
Morton	16	2	0	3	6	5	2	0	3	9	7	8
Motherwell	16	3	1	2	13	9	0	1	3	2	12	8
Falkirk	16	3	0	2	9	8	1	0	4	8	19	8
Dundee Utd	16	1	1	3	13	17	2	3	3	10	12	7
Dunfermline	16	1	2	2	6	9	1	1	3	3	7	7
East Fife	16	1	1	3	6	14	1	2	4	7	7	7
Clyde	16	2	0	3	4	6	1	1	3	6	16	7
Airdrie	16	0	2	2	5	11	2	1	3	4	13	7
Kilmarnock	16	2	1	2	7	8	0	1	4	4	13	6

SCOTTISH — Div 2	HOME Goals					AWAY Goals					
	P	W	D	L	F A	P	W	D	L	F A	Pts
Cowdenhall	14	4	1	2	17 5	4	3	0	14	4 20	
Arbroath	13	6	1	0	21 7	2	2	2	6 8	19	
Montrose	13	4	1	1	15 6	4	1	2	21 9	18	
St. Mirren	12	5	0	1	20 8	4	0	2	15 10	18	
G. of South	13	4	0	2	14 7	4	1	2	11 8	17	
Stirling	11	4	3	0	13 6	2	0	2	12 10	15	
Stranraer	14	4	1	2	14 14	2	2	3	6 13	15	
Dumfries	13	3	1	2	14 9	3	1	3	14 16	14	
Keith	14	4	2	1	16 7	1	1	5	6 14	13	
Alfies	12	2	1	3	8 11	3	1	2	13 7	12	
Barwick	13	1	2	3	7 11	4	0	3	15 10	12	
Albion	13	4	1	2	11 5	1	1	4	6 12	12	
Queens Pk	12	3	1	1	9 3	1	3	3	6 13	12	
E. Stirling	12	2	1	3	8 9	2	2	2	7 10	11	
Stenhousemuir	12	3	1	2	11 7	1	1	4	5 12	10	
Clydebank	12	1	2	4	7 13	2	2	1	6 6	10	
Brechin	12	2	2	2	6 8	1	1	4	6 14	9	
Forfar	14	1	1	5	5 20	0	1	6	5 23	4	

Hot shot die!

Manchester United's Northern Ireland international Sammy McIlroy has been earning some rave reviews with his performances for the 'Reds' and he finished fourth with an average of 7.66 — the same as Middlesbrough's Bosco Jankovic.

FIRST DIVISION

Player	Team	Games	Ave
Glenn Hoddle	Spurs	4	8
Frans Thijssen	Ipswich	4	8
Russell Osman	Ipswich	7	7.71
Sammy McIlroy	Manchester Utd	6	7.66
Bosco Jankovic	Middlesbrough	6	7.66
Peter Shilton	Notts Forest	5	7.6



I can't believe it! October's Matchman of the Month Glenn Hoddle just can't believe his luck after some star-studded performances for Spurs.

Dobson's the star

FORMER Everton and England midfield star Martin Dobson of Burnley is the October Matchman of the Month for the Third Division after averaging 7.83 for his six games.

Martin got three eight star ratings on his way to the £100 cheque and plaque and pipped Blackpool's Willie Morgan, who averaged 7.75 from his eight October games.

DIVISION THREE

Player	Team	Games	Ave
Martin Dobson	Burnley	6	7.83
Willie Morgan	Blackpool	8	7.75
Alan Birch	Chesterfield	6	7.66
Paul Walsh	Charlton	7	7.57
Alan Ball	Blackpool	8	7.5

Martin Dobson leading Burnley's bid to get back in Division Two.

Alex McLeish sparkling displays in the heart of the Aberdeen defence.



MATCHMEN OF THE MONTH

WHAT A COR-KERR!

HARTLEPOOL'S Bobby Kerr just managed to stop Northampton's Steve Phillips from winning the Fourth Division's October award with his average of eight.

Steve, who won the September Matchman of the Month, finished with an average of 7.62 from his eight games.

DIVISION FOUR

Player	Team	Games	Ave
Bobby Kerr	Hartlepool	7	8
Steve Phillips	Northampton	8	7.62
David Speedie	Darlington	7	7.57
John McMahon	Crewe	8	7.5
Barry Wellings	Rochdale	7	7.42

Alex the Aberdeen ace

ABERDEEN and Scotland international defender Alex McLeish collected a nine star rating on his way to the October Matchman of the Month award for the Scottish Premier Division.

Jim Bett, the Rangers iron man is the runner-up with an average of 7.5 from his three October games, while St Mirren's winger Peter Weir is third with 7.33.

SCOTTISH PREMIER

Player	Team	Games	Ave
Alex McLeish	Aberdeen	3	7.66
Jim Bett	Rangers	4	7.5
Peter Weir	St Mirren	6	7.33
Alister Mauchlen	Kilmarnock	3	7.33
Jackie Campbell	Partick	3	7.33

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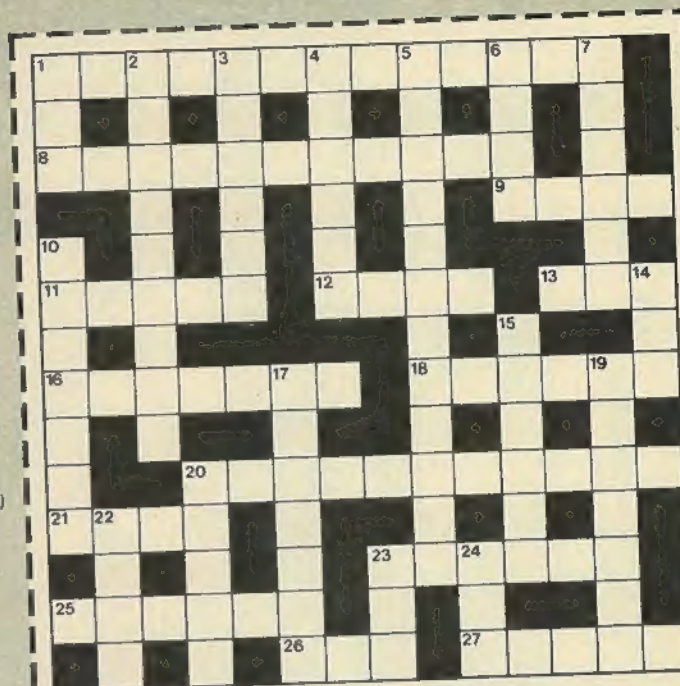
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Across

- 1 'Quiet run today' (anagram) — for a West Country club (7,8)
- 8 They link defenders and attackers (11)
- 9 Another word for 'team' (4)
- 11 Fairclough's first name (5)
- 12 Teams with — defences concede lots of goals (4)
- 13 He's one half of United! (3)
- 16 Brighton's boss (7)
- 18 One of the end-of-season Wembley finals is for the F.A. Challenge — (6)
- 20 Welsh club (7,4)
- 21 'Shin' (anagram) — the former Leicester, Derby and England defender (4)
- 23 Former Leeds and England striker (6)
- 25 Manager at Old Trafford (6)
- 26 The man taking a direct free kick looks for a — in the wall of defenders (3)
- 27 Kevin Keegan is known as "Mighty —" (5)

Down

- 3 See 7 down
- 4 One of the colours of the Canaries of Norwich (6)
- 5 Old defender or forward with West Ham United, Manchester United and Eire who followed Jimmy Hill as manager of Coventry (4,8)
- 6 What the skipper tries to win before the kick-off (4)
- 7 & 3 down. Former England keeper Peter Bonetti played for this Scottish side last season (6,8)
- 10 Former Leeds United manager (7)
- 14 Twenty-four hours for goalie Mervyn? (3)
- 15 Popular word for 'football' (6)
- 17 Division Three club who used to be called "The Biscuitmen" but are now known as "The Royals" (7)
- 19 The nickname of Luton Town (7)
- 20 Aldershot's nickname (look carefully and you'll see it!) (5)
- 22 Remove a letter from Biley to find Bury's boss (4)
- 23 Souvenir for a player who has represented his country (3)
- 24 The referee keeps his — raised for indirect free-kicks (3)



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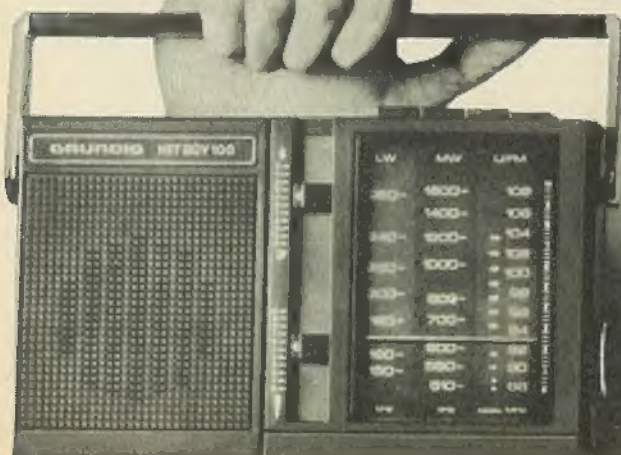
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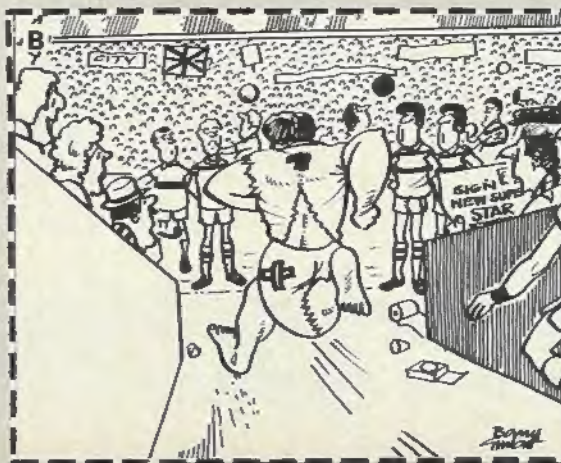
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Answer: EXETER CITY.

MATCH QUIZ

1 Who recently became the first Middlesbrough player for 17 years to be capped for England?

2 Who was the previous Middlesbrough player to be capped by England in 1963?

3 Which team were runners-up to Liverpool in the 1975-6 First Division Championship?

4 Which team has won the English Second Division on the most occasions?

5 The most goals scored in an F.A. Cup match by one player is nine. Who was that player?

Answers: 1 David Armstrong (v Bournemouth v Margate), 2 Alan Peacock (v Wales), 3 Queens Park Rangers, 4 Manchester City, 5 Ted MacDonough

Name this North East star and you have the answer to question one.



Name

Age

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**Allan Evans (Aston Villa)
v Birmingham City,
Football League Division
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Birmingham, October 11,
1980.**

*Left: Allan Evans swivels to score his
Golden Goal as Joe Gallagher (5)
challenges and Gary Shaw looks on.
Right: Evans in action with Villa.
'It was the best goal of my career,' said
Allan.*



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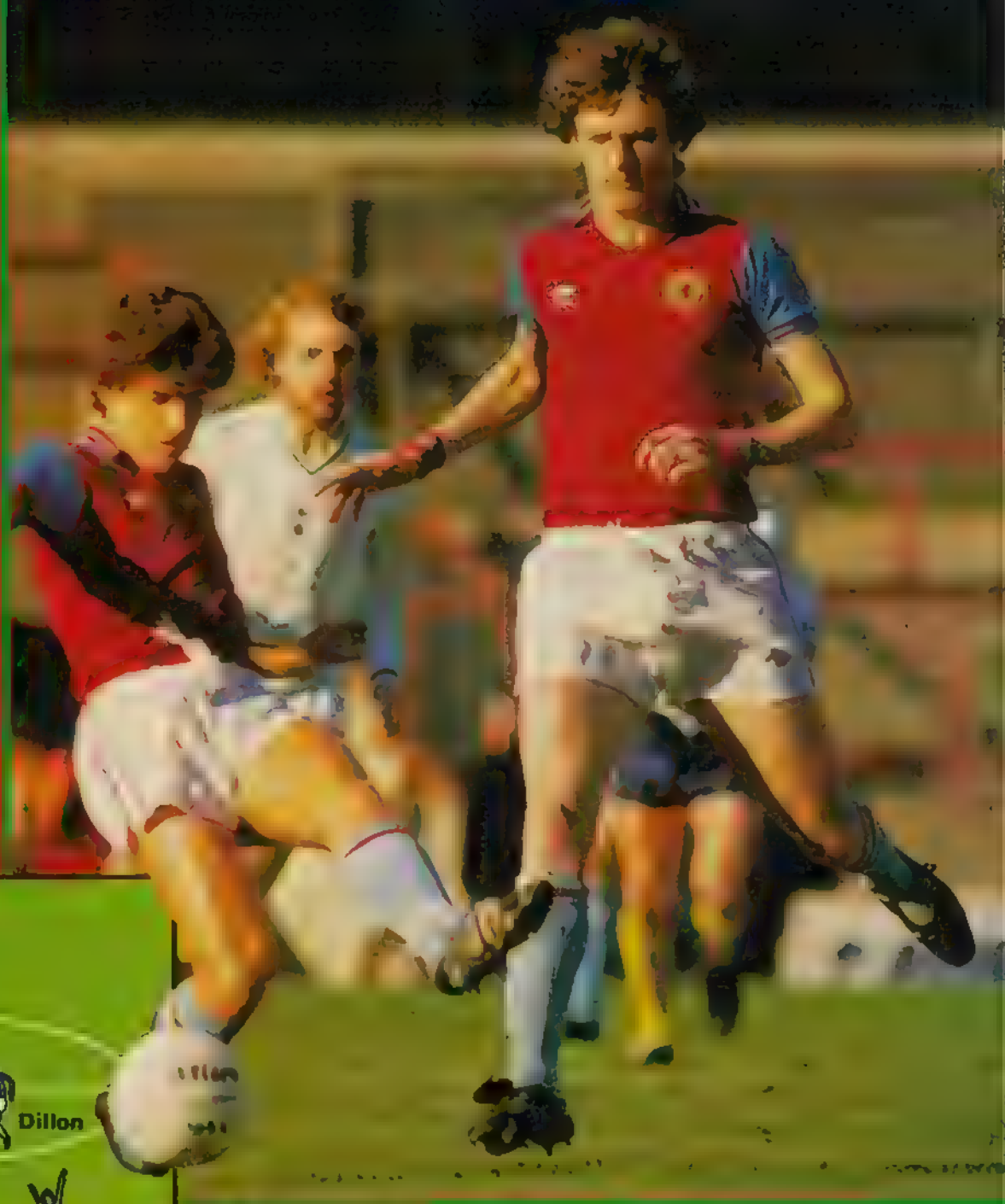


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**GOLDEN
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ALLAN Evans, Villa's no-nonsense central defender, has scored some vital goals for the Midlands club. But none gave him greater pleasure than the one which beat local rivals Birmingham City in the recent derby game at Villa Park.

"It was the best of my career," enthused the six-foot Scot.

Evans recalled: "We were level 1-1 on penalties when Ken McNaught took a free-kick just inside our half with five minutes to go.

"As usual I moved up to try and cause a bit of havoc in their defence.

"I thought Gary Shaw was going to control it, but the ball bounced awkwardly for him and it died just right for me.

I swivelled to hit it in with my left foot.

"Surprised? You're not kidding. But no way do I want to be a striker.

"I enjoy the freedom the boss gives me too much.

"Besides, Peter Withe and Gary Shaw are doing so well for us, now."

NEXT WEEK

IN-VINCE-IBLE! Don't miss your November 15 issue of Match for a colour special on the magical Vince Hilaire solo effort which set Crystal Palace on the road to only their second win of the season against Leicester City.

Spurs
and
England
star

GLENN

Keegan, Barnes, Thijssen — they're the entertainers

MORE and more people are moaning about how the standard of our game has gone down.

But let me say here and now, I don't agree.

I'd point to the fact that the European Cup hasn't gone out of the country for the past four years.

What has changed is the style of play.

The game's a lot faster now than it ever used to be. In fact English League football is probably played at a faster pace than anywhere in the world.

That means it's much more difficult for players to show off their individual skills.

Whereas a couple of years ago you had the likes of Bobby Charlton, Denis Law and George Best in the great Manchester United team, individual players don't tend to stand out as much.

But there are still players who are worth watching as individuals on their day — players like Kevin Keegan.

Trevor Francis, Peter Barnes, and Kenny Dalglish.

Take Trevor Francis. He has speed, he can run at players and take them on and he can score spectacular goals.

Kenny Dalglish is full of good individual skill but let's face it, playing for a team like Liverpool he doesn't have to use it every time!

Peter Barnes of West Brom — on his day — is as exciting as anyone. I've played with him a number of times and I've seen him have terrific games.

And the influence of foreign players like our own Ossie Ardiles and Ricky Villa, the two Dutchmen at Ipswich Frans Thijssen and Arnold Muhren and the Yugoslavian Bosko Jankovic at Middlesbrough can only be good.

Right, Ipswich
midfield star
Frans Thijssen
who along
with the other
'imports' has
given so much
to our game.



The road to stardom

HOW DID you become a footballer? That's the question MATCH WEEKLY has been asking the heroes of today. Was it a rocky path on the road to stardom or were you born to be a star? It's a fascinating series

Right: Terry McDermott... "made my debut, we won 2-0 and I was dropped!"

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HODDLE

GLENN Hoddle is one of the game's great entertainers.

Rave reviews followed his two-goal performance in Spurs 4-1 victory over Coventry.

And it's not the first time he's hit the headlines for all the right reasons.

Here, in his weekly column, Glenn names the individuals he would pay to watch.

By MARK MILLER

GLASSBORO, N.J. — Glenn Hoddle has been in the news about what he would like to see in a football pitch. While this chairman was preparing for last weekend's match in Solihull, the midfielder in a blue giving his answer to the game's troubles with a goal, he was also in the Coventry dressing room, where he was talking to the players.

Glenn's style can bring back missing fans

When the mood perfectly when he said after "These Hoddle goals are what they will be talking about in the pub," today I did it. Always mark that the way he must be a manager in this level.

Like the other players, Hoddle has been picked from fully trained players. Hoddle said: "I know goals are down but I'm not sure the situation is as bad as it's been painted. I'd agree though the players have responsibility to give the fans something special." Glenn Hoddle, Tottenham Hotspur.



ENGLAND NEED HODDLE GRAFT

By STEVE BARNES

IN THE UK OF MY BIRTH, when I was a boy, I was told that a graft was a piece of wood or metal that was used to join two pieces of wood or metal together. In the world of football, a graft is a player who is brought in from another club to strengthen a team. And that's exactly what Tottenham Hotspur need to do to win the Premier League.

How the Monday papers saw Glenn's performance in Spurs biggest win of the season so far.

Palace will be OK

IN past years we always seem to have had something over Wolves — our opponents at White Hart Lane on Saturday.

We have lost to them only once in our last eight League meetings and that was in season 1978-79 when we lost 3-2 at Molineux.

Last season we drew 2-2 at our place and won 2-1 away from home, so they are a good club for us!

And we'll be hoping to continue that record this weekend.

Then the following Wednesday we are at home to Crystal Palace. It will be our fourth game against them this season and we are not halfway through yet.

All we need now is to draw them in the third round of the F.A. Cup!

We've had some good results against Palace, beating them at their place in the League, drawing with them at home in the League Cup and then beating them in the return.

Hopefully by the time we

play them they'll be out of trouble at the bottom of the division.

When a team is in the "danger" area, I think they are more likely to play for a point away from home.

If they are doing better in the League they'll go for two points and it will be a better game.

Palace are a good side in the making but they have been victim of some unfortunate circumstances when luck was

Peter Barnes of West Brom — terrific on his day

against them.

But I'm sure they'll be OK this season. They have enough ability.

Glenn Hoddle

'I owe it all to a lie'

SAYS TERRY McDERMOTT

TERRY McDermott owes his success to a little white lie.

The Liverpool and England star revealed: "I was only a reserve at Fourth Division Bury at the time and I admit, not playing very well."

"Then one of the first team was injured, and the manager Tom McNamara happened to ask our trainer, Billy Urmon, how I'd played in the reserves."

"Billy apparently gave a glowing report, though in fact I wasn't playing very well at all. Still, the boss took his word for it and I was in the first team."

"I kept my place after that, eventually moved on to Newcastle for £22,000, then I was bought by Liverpool — and here I am."

Why Bury in the first place, we asked?

"I had no choice," said Terry. "As a kid nobody else wanted me."

"All the other lads in the Kirby schoolboys were fixed up with League clubs, but not me. I thought my

chance had gone.

"But then a Bury scout left a schoolboy form with my Dad while I was out watching Liverpool one Saturday."

"I remember saying 'Bury? Where's that?' But then I decided, 'What the hell, you've got to start somewhere' and I signed."

It was nearly two years before Terry got his chance, a league match against Tranmere Rovers.

"We won 2-0 and I was dropped the next week," Terry recalled.

"I didn't get another chance until Billy came up with his lie about my form and I've never forgotten that, nor has he."

"He always sends me a telegram before a big match or after I've done something special, and we keep in touch through England coach Billy Taylor, who's at Oldham where Billy's also a coach, now."

"I owe him a lot."



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Above: It's back to work as Kenny gets down to answering his fan-mail. While he was at Palace Kenny used to get the help of his sister Mary, but now he replies to all his mail personally.

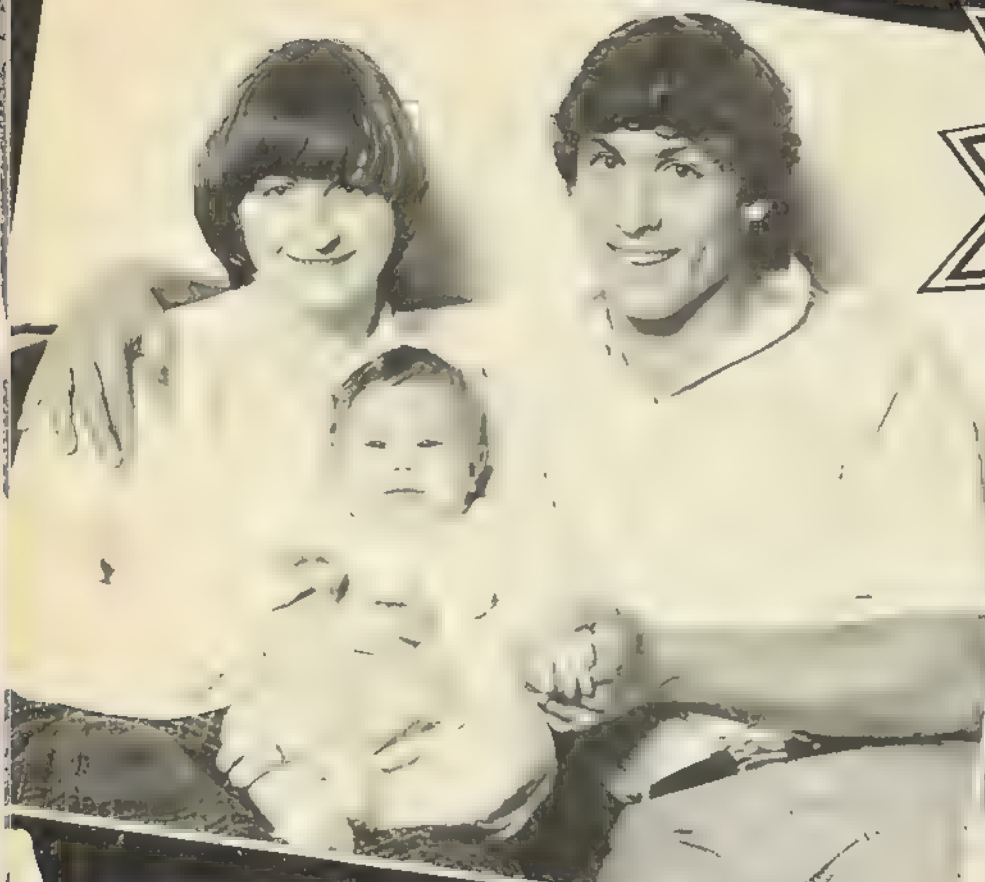
Right: The SANSON line-up. Kenny relaxes at home with wife Elaine and baby Natalie.

Kenny



Above: It's coffee-time and Kenny, complete with England mug prepared to make the drink — not a familiar sight in the Sansom household.

The other
world of Match
columnist, Arsenal
and England star...



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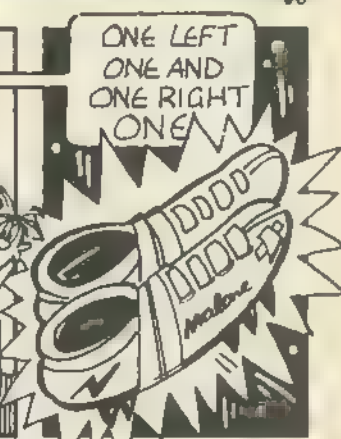
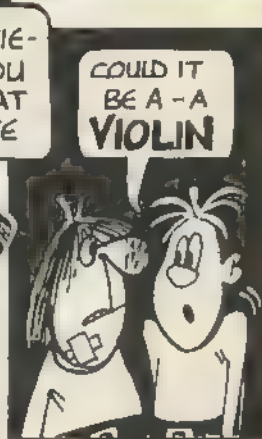
Left: Kenny poses with one of his most prized possessions — the Argentinian jersey of Alberto Tarantini. He swapped shirts with the former Birmingham City defender after England's 3-1 victory over the World Champions at Wembley in May. The football is used when the relatives come for a kick-about in the garden.

Above right: Kenny Sansom as the fans usually see him — in action for Arsenal.

Right: There's nothing the Arsenal and England full-back enjoys more than relaxing with his five-month-old daughter. Here he is seen with Natalie and her favourite toy, a cat called Tom.



THE **WACKY** WANDERERS ARE READY AND WAITING ...



NEXT WEEK - 'GOALS' GRABOWSKI MEETS BOOTSIE MALONE !!!

GARY BAILEY

WITH Andy Ritchie's departure from Old Trafford we have lost a good player who has yet to fulfill his potential.

But in Garry Birtles we have gained a player who has already proved himself at the highest level.

My association with Andy goes back to when I first arrived at Old Trafford as a 19-year-old third team player.

Andy was just 17 then and playing for the reserves but we came into contact a great deal during training sessions.

I found out then what a lethal shot he packs!

After making his first team debut in a 6-2 United victory over Everton at Goodison he found himself in and out of the side . . . scoring the occasional hat-trick as he went!

But with the injury problems we have had this season he has a chance to make a regular place his own.

It didn't work out for him and being a local lad it must have

Hello and goodbye

. . . It's one in and one out at Old Trafford

broken his heart to leave Manchester.

But Andy has a great deal of potential and I just hope he can rediscover the old skills which saw him knocking in the goals for United.

He's a nice guy and a very genuine person and I wish him all the best in his new career at Brighton.

Almost as soon as we'd finished saying our goodbyes to one player however we were welcoming another in Garry Birtles.

Garry's an all-round centre forward.

He gets up well to head a ball, he's quick, he can run at defenders and take them on and he packs a good shot in his left

foot.

His heading ability alone may not match that of Joe Jordan but

the two of them together should really set things alight up front for us in our chase for the championship.

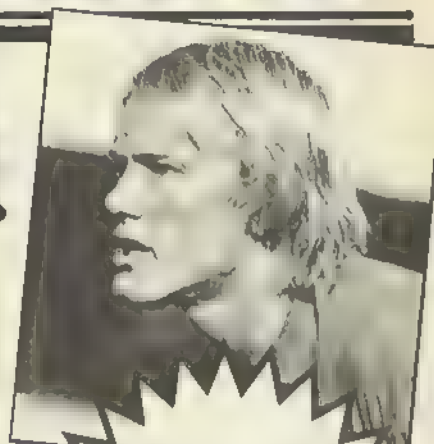
I remember a goal Garry scored for Forest against us last season.

He had pushed the ball wide of our defence but his speed took him on and he turned and whacked it into the net.

I had assumed a slightly narrower angle because I never expected him to turn so sharply.

As United's record signing Garry will have to live with his £1 million tag but it's not as if he's the only big money signing in the side.

And I'm sure he'll have no trouble winning over the fans at Old T. because he's a character in his own way and characters in the game are always loved by the fans.



The Man Utd and Young England 'keeper writes for you only in Match Weekly



Garry Birtles finally puts pen to paper at Old Trafford watched by United chairman Martin Edwards (left) and manager Dave Sexton.

OUT TO SMASH WOLVES JINX

Coventry are our opponents in the League on Saturday and we'll be out to make amends for their victory over us in the League Cup.

They played well against us on that occasion and they are a team always capable of raising their game, but we'll want two points.

Then on Wednesday night we are at home to Wolves . . . and we'll be out to smash the jinx.

Wolves have come out winners in our last three meetings and they were the only team to take four points from us last season.

They are a good workmanlike side and they have skill up front in John Richards but — it would be nice to beat them this time.

The following Saturday we are away at Middlesbrough. They are always a difficult proposition on their own ground but our away form in the early part of this season has been excellent.

Right: John Richards in action for Wolves. He provides skill up front.



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Birmingham v Palace	2-1			
Liverpool v Forest	1-0			
West Brom v Aston Villa	2-2			
Chelsea v Oldham	3-1			
West Ham v Grimsby	2-0			
Chester v Sheff. Utd.	1-1			
Colchester v Swindon	3-0			
Bury v Bournemouth	3-2			
Wimbledon v Northampton	2-1			
Kilmarnock v Airdrie	0-2			

Who won
this week?

POINTS SCORED

PAUL

YOURSELF

DAD

Aggregate scores earned
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PAUL

YOURSELF

DAD

HERE are my ten predicted score-
lines for Saturday. There's a space
for your forecasts, one for dad and
a column for the actual results.
You get two points for every
score you get right and one point
if you get the result right (i.e.
home, away or draw) but the
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Carry your points total forward
each week.

STRATTON ON SATURDAY

QUESTION. What's the difference
between Crystal Palace and a
triangle?

Answer: A triangle has three
points!

That's the sort of joke that was
flying around in football circles
after Palace's disastrous start to
the season.

The Selhurst Park side had col-
lected just two points from ten
matches and conceded 24 goals.

But a 2-1 win over Leicester and
a 3-2 victory over Southampton in
the space of three days silenced
the jokers who had already written
them off as relegation material.

Palace, however, will need all
the skill and determination that
made them such a hot property last
term in their bid to break down
Birmingham at St Andrews on
Saturday.

It was season 1968/69 when
Palace last won a League
encounter at Brum's ground and
their four meetings there since
have seen three home wins and a
draw.

Vince Hilaire is a key to a
hundred different doors for Palace

It's no
joke at
Palace

and his solo goal against Leicester
was nothing short of brilliant.

But for Birmingham Archie Gem-
mill continues to lead by example.

And I fear Palace must wait at
least another season before they
repeat their success of 12 years go.

★ ★ ★

THERE have been nine previous
League meetings between
Colchester and Swindon at Layer
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No reason for that to change on
Saturday and I go for an easy
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Action from a previous
encounter between
Liverpool and Forest as
Nottingham defender
Kenny Burns (right)
wins the ball from
striker David Johnson.
The two meet again on
Saturday

No joy
for
Forest

NOTTINGHAM Forest haven't won a League
match against Liverpool at Anfield for 12 years
... but then not many teams have.

It was season 1968/69 when Forest won 2-1 in
front of the Kop, but their six League visits to
Liverpool since have produced four home wins
and two draws.

In fact Forest have won just once in their last
11 visits and I can't see them adding to that on
Saturday.

Hawthorns goal glut?

WEST BROM tackle Midlands rivals Aston Villa at the
Hawthorns on Saturday in a match that promises to win the
day's entertainment stakes hands down.

There could be a glut of goals as the two title-chasing
teams thrash it out in front of what's sure to be a packed
crowd.

If Cyrille Regis and Ally Brown for Albion and Peter Withe
and Gary Shaw for Villa hit the kind of form they have already
shown this season those fans could be in for a real treat.

And all eyes will be on the midfield confrontation between
two of the country's best midfield players — Bryan Robson of
Albion and Gordon Cowans of Villa.

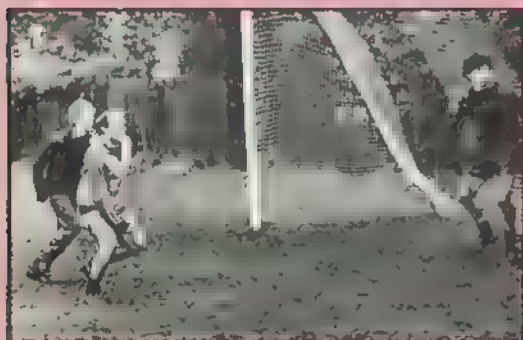
I'm going for a share of the points, but the short trip to
Albion's ground will hold no fears for the team in claret and
blue.

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TAKING chances at the near post is all a question of timing.

For this particular skill, keep on your toes and time your run to meet the ball a yard ahead of your marker. Leave your run too late and you'll lose the yard you gained because the defender will be on top of you.

Hold your position as long as possible then spring off your toes to steal that yard, keeping your eyes on the ball and making sure you hit the target.

One of the two goals I scored against Leeds this season was just like this, when little Stan Cummins cut one back for me to steer it in at the near post.

1 The cross comes in and I'm on my toes to steal a yard on Peter

2 . . . watching the ball closely, I make a good contact . . .

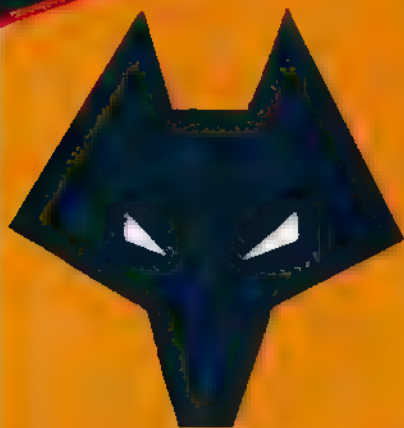
3 . . . to steer the flick out of young Mark's reach . . .

4 . . . and into the back of the net.

Bryan Pop Robson



Wolves



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MATCH WEEKLY







Clive Allen

No tantrums from Allen

I THINK Crystal Palace striker Clive Allen deserves a big pat on the back.

He has played under four managers in the last year (Tommy Docherty, Terry Neill, Terry Venables and Ernie Walley).

Through all his ups and downs Clive has continued to play well every week without any silly tantrums.

I think Clive sets a fine example to youngsters despite all the turmoil that has surrounded him recently.

David Mantle (13), Sittingbourne, Kent.

Never a penalty

I AM annoyed about the penalty incident during the Liverpool-Ipswich game when Frans Thijssen was supposed to have brought down Kenny Dalglish.

Frans hardly touched Dalglish and when the commentator asked Kenny about the incident he looked very embarrassed by it all.

Apart from that I found the match very entertaining and a pleasure to watch.

Gillian West (15), Winterbourne Stoke, Wilt.

Time for a change England

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I KNOW England have no divine right to win every game we play, but why do we have to listen to managers making the same old excuses.

After the defeat in Rumania Ron Greenwood said that Eric Gates was not fully fit because of a stomach upset. He said the same thing about Kevin Keegan when England were in Italy.

What I can't understand is that if the players and the manager knew they were not 100 per cent fit why on earth did they play?

The game in Rumania was played with Gates in physically and Birtles in mentally bad-shape.

It must be time for a change at the top and for the players and manager to put England first.

Nicky Farley, Basingstoke, Hants.

No case for Jimmy



I DISAGREE with W. James (Match, September 27) who said that Jimmy Case of Liverpool should play for England

He might have a good right foot — but that's about all!

He rarely heads the ball and hardly ever wins a tackle. There are many better midfield players than him waiting for a call-up

Timothy Bailey (13), Stona, Staffs.

TERRACE TALK

Transfer farce!

THE 'triangle' transfer deal involving Andy Ritchie, Garry Birtles and Peter Ward was carried out in a farcical way.

The deal was negotiated with no apparent respect for the players' feelings at all.

Donna Price (15), Haywards Heath, Sussex.

Hammers deserve credit

IN these days of constant managerial sackings let's give some credit to West Ham United.

They treat their managers as human beings and have had only three since the War. That's loyalty!

Ricky Collins, Hornchurch, Essex.

Oops!

GOOF spotted in a Wolves programme recently . . . Everton seem to get around judging by the half-time score sheet.

This was sent in by Simon Chandler of Armitage, near Rugeley, Staffs.

B Aston Villa
Coventry
C Brighton
WBA
D Ipswich
Everton
E Leeds Utd
Everton
F Liverpool
Norwich

OUTRAGED!

RIGHT you lot — I'm Anthony Hawks well and I'm in charge of the Outraged column.

I'll stand no nonsense... any back chat and you could get sent off!

I'll be giving the red card to what I judge to be the letter of the week — and yellow cards to any others published.

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I AM totally outraged about your 'Outraged' column.

It is just a crafty plot to get readers to write nonsensical letters to Match Weekly so that you can show your not very extensive knowledge of the game.

If you don't print this it will prove to me that you are afraid to argue a proper point.

Warwick Smith, Tonbridge, Kent.

● **OFF YOU GO!** You've got the red card for arguing with the referee. Outraged is the best column around.

Entertainment comes second

I'M fed up at the number of people who complain about the game and say they want to see entertaining football.

I would rather see my team, Arsenal, win a really boring game 1-0 than be entertained and see them lose 3-2

I couldn't care if they bored the pants off people away from home as long as they get a 0-0 draw.

At the end of the season for the past few years we have seen Manchester United, Nottingham Forest and Arsenal at the top — you can't exactly call them entertaining can you?

Robert Green (14), Cheshunt, Herts.

● **YOU bore me.** You're booked!

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DERBY SPOTLIGHT

I AM outraged about seeing top teams like Liverpool, Manchester United and Nottingham Forest featured so prominently in magazines.

I never see anything about my favourite team, Derby County Darren Sheppard, Pilsley, Derbyshire

● **ANOTHER** name in my book The top teams get the most publicity because they deserve to. Anyway weren't Derby County relegated last season?

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Super Spurs

I AM outraged about what you said about Spurs not scoring for five games

You obviously have not taken into account their recent results Stoke 2 Spurs 3; Crystal Palace 1 Spurs 3; and Spurs 3 Middlesbrough 2.

Johnny Westbrook, Regents Park, London

● **Another** name in the book for dissent — Spurs seem to be conceding quite a few goals as well!

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Bossy boots!

I WAS outraged at the way you just marched in throwing your orders about in your first week in charge of 'Outraged'

Trevor Haylett was far better than you and he was not as lenient as you said.

I suppose you will give me the red card Gary Martin, Lutterworth, Leics.

● **You're wrong!** You've got the yellow card for dissent



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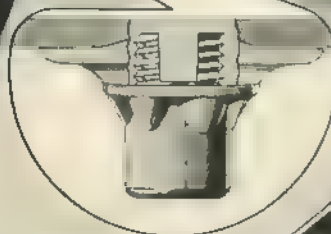
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Allan MacKinnon

of Hitchin, Herts: What would you like to do when your career is over?

JIMMY: All I can say at this stage Allan is that I'd like to stay in the game on the coaching side.

It's something I tasted when I trained with the youngsters at Old Trafford while I was out through injury.

I'd like to help a club in that way when I finish playing.

ANDY KELLOW

of Macclesfield, Cheshire: What is the most memorable match of your career?

JIMMY: I think it would have to be Manchester United's FA Cup semi-final against Leeds at Hillsborough in 1977.

We won 2-1, I scored the first goal and it meant my first Wembley final.

The real bonus was that my brother Brian (now with Leeds) was in the same United team.

★ Geoffrey West ★

of Denton, Manchester: What do you remember of your League debut and who were your childhood heroes?

JIMMY: It was for Leeds against Southampton at the Dell and we got beat 3-1, Geoffrey. I was only 16-years-old at the time and I remember I was drained after an hour of

MARTIN MOORHOUSE

of Lincoln: What are your reactions at not winning an England cap? And what is the best goal you have scored in your career?

JIMMY: Obviously it's disappointing not to have won an England cap Martin but at least I have been looked upon as one of the best uncapped players and that's something no-one can take away from me.

The fact I never played for my country was probably down to the fact that the wrong people were in charge at the time I was playing my best football.

The best goal of my career? I think it would have to be one I scored for Stoke against Birmingham in 1975.

It was a volley from the corner of the 18 yard box and it won ITV's Goal of the Season award.

I scored two that day and in my hurry to score a hat-trick I also broke my nose.

the match.

I suppose my first hero would have been Stanley Matthews, but that's going back a bit now!

I did become totally engrossed with players like Denis Law and Bobby Charlton and George Best, even though we are about the same age.



PETER ROBINSON

of Leeds: What are your feelings now, looking back on the injury that appeared to have ended your career?

JIMMY: Obviously Peter I'm delighted to be playing still, but I'm still not happy with a few Press men who put it around that I was finished. I'll never forgive them for that.

Every time I get an injury now people will say that I'm finished.

TOMMY BRENT

of Stoke-on-Trent, Staffs: What are your interests outside football?

JIMMY: I love a game of golf with my friends Tommy. I'm a nine handicapper and there's a course just two minutes car drive from my home.

Other than that I just enjoy being with my family.

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I don't think I will ever forgive Garry Birtles for saying he wanted to leave Nottingham Forest.

There's no bitterness, no resentment and certainly no regrets about what has happened between us but when I think of the times we spent together I couldn't bring myself to say: "Garry, it's all forgotten."

When I'm referring to the things we've been through together, I don't just mean the contribution he made to us winning European Cups, the League Cup and so on.

He's wine and dined with my family and I at home — and that's something special in my eyes — and he's played me at squash when he was struggling to get in our reserve side

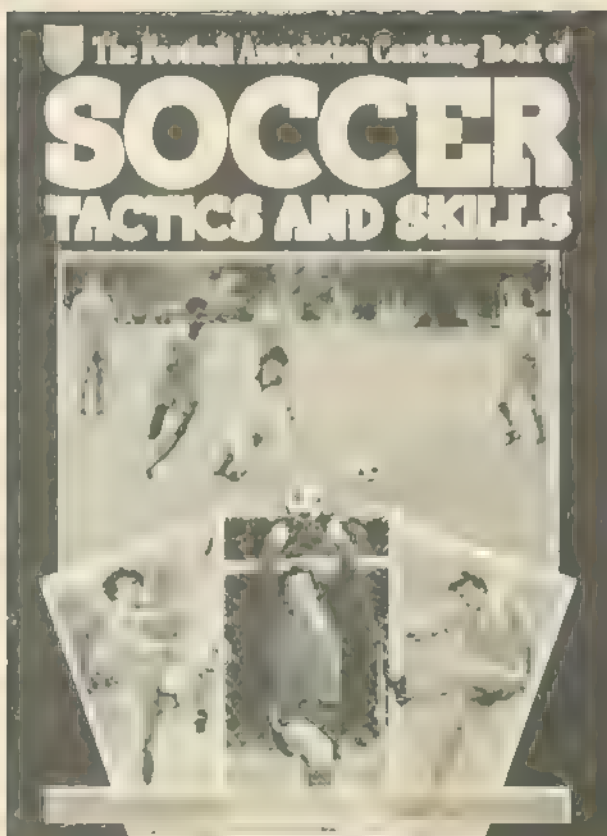
I've seen him mature from a Midland League player with Long Eaton to being the England centre forward

GLO

I'll never you,

It's history now that Garry asked for a transfer supposedly because of comments I made about him in Match Weekly during the summer, so considering it all started in this column, the saga may as well end here too.

It need not have reached the conclusion it did because right up to the second Birtles walked out the door for the last time, we were trying to convince him that his future was with Forest



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Garry!

Peter Taylor repeatedly said to him: "Do you want to stay at Forest... will you stay at Forest... can we do anything in our power to keep you here?"

He could have asked for £100,000 or asked me to crawl to him on my hands and knees and apologise. But all he kept saying was "No... I want to go."

When that was firmly established, we didn't hesitate about letting Manchester United get on with the business of taking him to Old Trafford.

I don't really know what he is looking for but if it's success, United will have to go some to give him the kind and number of medals that he's won with Nottingham Forest

Nevertheless, I genuinely wish him well... even if I can't forgive him



Garry Birtles, resists a challenge from Arsenal's Brian Talbot... if it's success he's seeking, United will have to go some to match us, says Clough

I could have signed Peter Ward years ago!

THE biggest indictment against Nottingham Forest and me regarding the signing of Peter Ward is that he didn't join us years ago.

He was on our doorstep with Burton Albion and we looked at him more times than we've currently got League points but he slipped out of a net that had very big holes in it.



Instead he joined Peter Taylor, who was then managing Brighton, for a fee of £4,000 and that has always been a source of embarrassment to me.

We ended up paying considerably more for him last month when after a week's negotiations that were a little bit hectic and confused — even by our standards — he signed for Forest.

Yes, Peter Taylor and I did have a difference of opinion over certain aspects of the transfer but no more than we usually have at such times.

At the end of the day we reached a compromise over the fee.

So Ward joined us to form a new partnership with Ian Wallace. You don't need me to tell you

● Left: Peter Ward — talented.

that they are not exactly the biggest pair of strikers in the country... but that's not everything.

If you have got other qualities, height is not essential. Had film stars James Cagney and Edward G. Robinson paired up together on a football field they would have won more balls in the air than Dixie Deans and Tommy Lawton.

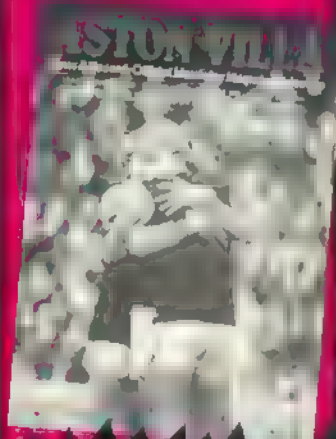
I think Wallace and Ward are more likely to hit it off together than Wallace and Birtles.

What I do feel is that the acquisition of Ward leaves us with potentially the most talented squad of strikers in the country.

Young Gary Mills — he's 19 this month — has proved his worth and ability and, of course, we are hoping that Trevor Francis is knocking on the first team door again before Christmas.

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Aston Villa

At just the Aston Villa programme must be one of the most expensive in the league — but it is extremely good value for money.

It's packed with lively, bright colour pages and has a lot of interesting reading matter.

We looked at the programme for the match with Spurs and found a very comprehensive run-down on the afternoon's opponents.

One of the criticisms of programmes we have reviewed in for this season was that there were not enough features on the players — that's not so with the Villa 'prog'.

Off-beat

There was a lengthy story on other defender Allen Evans plus plenty of other off-beat snippets on the other Villa stars.

There's a great deal of reading in the magazine and you will not be able to read it all during the half-time break — you'll have something to look forward to reading after the match.

The glossy magazine is well put together and is a pleasure to read.

Programme: **★★★★** Value: **★★★★**
 Superb, **★★★★** Good, **★★★** Fair, **★★**
 Poor, **★** Terrible

How the Aston Villa programme fared: Content: **★★★★** Colour: **★★★★**
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He's got so much pace, says David Cross

"ALAN'S form this season has made it easier for me to score goals.

"Both he and Trevor Brooking are providing me with a terrific service — they are getting to the bye-line and putting in some great crosses for me.

"My third goal against Castilla in the Cup Winners' Cup came from a cross by Alan.

"He had done all the running, all I had to do was knock it into the net from close range.

"Alan is very good at holding the ball and searching out a team-mate to pass to.

"He has a lot of pace — I think he can run just as fast with the ball at his feet as without it.

"He is also very good at beating his man and can go past opponents as if they are not there."



Alan Devonshire

The Goalmakers

Who are the goalmakers? We have been asking the men in the know — the strikers for whom the chances are set up by these midfield Maestros. Today West Ham's David Cross talks about team-mate Alan Devonshire.

No 13

Alan Devonshire West Ham and England

BIRTHPLACE: London.

BIRTHDATE: April 17, 1956.

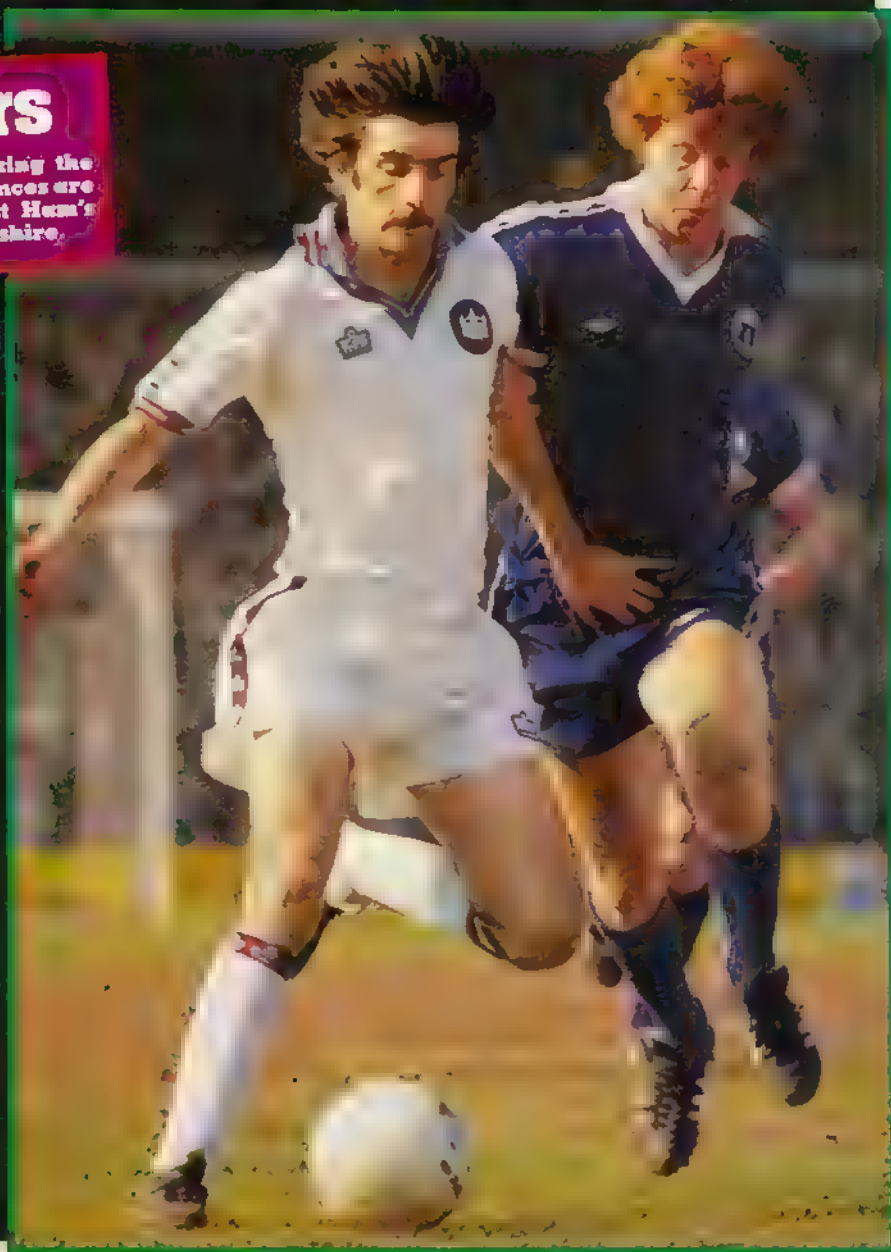
CAREER: West Ham United.

LEAGUE DEBUT: v West
Bromwich Albion, October 30,
1976, lost 3-0.

LEAGUE APPEARANCES: West
Ham (155).

**INTERNATIONAL
APPEARANCES:** Two full
England caps.

Right: Alan Devonshire pictured in swashbuckling action against Everton's Gary Megson during last season's FA Cup semi-final clash at Villa Park. The match was drawn 1-1, with West Ham winning the replay 2-1 and Devonshire, playing at the peak of his form, was called into the England squad soon afterwards.





It's Fun Time

KENNETH SMITH,
Forfar, Angus,
Scotland:
A man in
Manchester was in
court for shouting a
four letter word inside
Old Trafford.
He shouted:
"GOAL!"



A LIVERPOOL fan returned home to find his neighbour in a distressed state. The neighbour explained that the fan's wife had left him, his pet dog had died, his house had burnt down and that Liverpool had lost 3-2 at Anfield.

The fan replied: "Well that's amazing. I heard Liverpool were two up at half-time."
Jimmy Reid, Tibberton, Gloucs.

Rangers defender Tom Forsyth's favourite hymn is 'I plough the fields and scatter'.
Ian Brown, Fort William, Inverness-shire.



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Match FACTS

Player ratings

- 10 — Out of this world
- 9 — Outstanding
- 8 — Excellent
- 7 — Good
- 6 — Adequate
- 5 — Off form
- 4 — Poor

Match rating

- ★★★★★ A classic
- ★★★★ Good value
- ★★★ Satisfactory
- ★★ Dull
- ★ Waste of money

Monday, Oct. 27 Division Four

MANSFIELD (1) 2 (Parkinson, pen 1, Allen 77)
NORTHAMPTON (0) 0
Att: 3,580
Mansfield: Arnold 6, McJannet 5, Foster 5, Hamilton 6, McClelland 5, Bird 6, Allen 6, Mann 7, Austin 5, ★PARKINSON 8, Pollard 6
Northampton: Poole 7, Saxby 5, Walker 6, Waldock 5, Gage 6, Heeley 6, Carlton 5, ★DENYER 8, Phillips 5, Williams 6, Farmer 5
Referee: N. H. Glover (Adlington)
Match Rating: ★★

PORT VALE (0) 0
BOURNEMOUTH (1) 2 (Massey 7, Morgan 88)
Att: 3,009
Port Vale: Harrison 6, Brissett 5, Griffiths 5, Beech 5, Bowles 6, Sproson 6, ★MILLER 7, Farrell 6, Allen 6 (sub: Elsbey), Chamberlain, M 6, Bromage 6
Bournemouth: Allen 6, Cunningham 6, Moore 5, Impey 6, Compton 6, Heffernan 6, ★SPACKMAN 8, Ferns 5, Morgan 6, Massey 6, Evans 6
Referee: B. Martin (Keyworth)
Match Rating: ★★

STOCKPORT (0) 0
HARTLEPOOL (1) 2 (Newton 42, Houchen 63)
Att: 2,066
Stockport: Lawson 6, Rutter 5, Sherlock 7, Fowler 5, Sword 5, Bradd 7, Williams 5, Sunley 5, Coyle 5, Thorpe 5, ★GALVIN 8
Hartlepool: Burleigh 6, Sweeney 6, Brown 5, Hogan 5, Bird 7, Unacre 5, Kerr 7, Lawrence 6, Newton 8
★HOUCHE 9, Hampton 5
Referee: R. Baker (Wolverhampton)
Match Rating: ★★

Tuesday, Oct. 28 League Cup Fourth Round

BIRMINGHAM (1) 2 (Worthington pen 29, Ainscow 52)
IPSWICH (1) 1 (Wark pen 25)
Att: 18,968
Birmingham: Wealds 7, Page 6, Dennis 6, Curbishley 7, Gallagher 7, Todd 7, ★AINSCOW 8, Bertschin 6, Worthington 6, Gemmill 7, Givens 6
Ipswich: Cooper 7, Burley 6, McCall 5, Mills 6, Osman 7, ★BUTCHER 8, Wark 6, Muhren 6, D. Avray 5, Brazil 6, Gates 5
Referee: K. Walmsley (Blackpool)
Match Rating: ★★

COVENTRY (1) 1 (Thompson 90 secs)
CAMBRIDGE (0) 1 (Taylor 51)

Att: 17,049
Coventry: Sealey 7, Coop 5, Roberts 7, Gooding 6, ★DYSON 8, Gillespie 7, Bodak 6, Blair 6, Thompson 6, English 5, Hunt 6
Cambridge: Key 7, Donaldson 7, Murray 7, Smith 7, Fallon 6, Gibbins 7, O'Neill 6, Spriggs 7, ★REILLY 8, Taylor 6, Christie 7
Referee: E. Read (Bristol)
Match Rating: ★★

LIVERPOOL (2) 4 (Dalglish 22, Johnson 36, 79, Souness 89)
PORTSMOUTH (1) 1 (Kennedy A. og 34)
Att: 32,021
Liverpool: Clemence 5, Neal 6, Irwin 7, Hansen 7, Kennedy A. 7, Lee 6, McDermott 7, Souness 7, Kennedy R. 8, ★DALGLISH 8, Johnson 7
Portsmouth: Mellor 8, McLaughlin 7, Davy 6, Garner 7, Viney 8, Barnard 7, Gregory 6 (sub: Laidlaw 6), Tait 6, Bryant 6, ★SHOWERS 9, Rogers 6
Referee: G. Owen (Anglesey)
Match Rating: ★★

WATFORD (2) 4 (Bissett 41 pen, Jenkins 44, 55, 68)
NOTTINGHAM (0) 1 (Wallace 74)
Att: 22,597
Watford: Steele 7, Henderson 7, Harrison 7, Bissett 7, Sims 9, Jackett 7, Poskett 8, Ward 7, ★JENKINS 10, Train 7, Rostron 8
Nottm Forest: Sutton 6, Gunn 6, Gray 7, Ponte 7, Lloyd 6, Burns 6, O'Neill 7, ★BOWYER 8, Mills 6, Wallace 6, Robertson 7
Referee: C. Thomas (Porthcawl)
Match Rating: ★★★★★

WEST HAM (0) 2 (Martin 69, Cross 71)
BARNLEY (0) 1 (Evans 63)
Att: 21,548
West Ham: Parkes 8, Stewart 6, Lampard 6 (sub: Allen 7), Brush 7, ★MARTIN 9, Devonshire 7, Holland 7, Goddard 6, Cross 7, Neighbour 7, Pike 6
Barnley: New 8, Joyce 7, Chambers 7, Glavin 7, ★BANKS 9, McCarthy 6, Evans 8, Riley 7, Aylott 7, Lester 7, Downes 7
Referee: A. R. Glasson (Salisbury)
Match Rating: ★★★★★

Division Three

CARLISLE (2) 2 (Bannon 3, 36)
BLACKPOOL (0) 0
Att: 3,588
Carlisle: Swinburne 6, Hoolickin 6, Coady 6, Macdonald 6, Hamilton 7, Packer 7, Stanforth 7, Metcalfe 6, ★BANNON 8, Beardsley 7, McAuley 7
Blackpool: Rush 6, Simmonite 6, Williams 6, ★BALL 8, Ashurst 7, Greenall 6, Morgan 7, McEwan 6, Hockaday 6, Morris 6, Thompson 5
Referee: K. Hackett (Sheffield)
Match Rating: ★★
Sending Off: Thompson (Blackpool)

CHARLTON (2) 4 (Walsh 42, 45, Robinson 57, Powell 88)
READING (0) 2 (Earles 58, Webb 87)
Att: 6,182
Charlton: Johns 6, Gritt 6, Madden 6, Shaw 6, Berry 6, Tydeman 7, ★POWELL 8, Walsh 7 (sub: Smith 6), Hales 7, Walker 6, Robinson 7
Reading: Death 5, Joslyn 6, Lewis 5, Bowman 6, Hicks 5, Metzke 6, Earles 6, Webb 6, Dixon 7, Sanchez 6, ★BEAVON 8
Referee: J. E. Bray (Leicestershire)
Match Rating: ★★

COLCHESTER (1) 2 (Allinson 16, Lee 89)
HULL (0) 0

Att: 2,239
Colchester: Walker 6, ★COOK 8, Rowles 6, Leslie 6, Wignall 6, Packer 6, Hodge 6, Gough 6, Lee 7, Bremner 6, Allinson 7
Hull: Norman 6, Nisbet 6, ★HAIGH 7, Swann 6, Roberts, J. 6, Roberts, D. 6, Marwood 6, Moss 6, Edwards 6, Whitchurst 5 (sub: Norrie 6), Deacy 5
Referee: D. Reeves (Uxbridge)
Match Rating: ★★

GILLINGHAM (2) 2 Bruce 10
Westwood 16)
SHEFFIELD UNITED (2) 2 (Trusson 17, Charles 42)
Att: 4,976
Gillingham: Hillyard 7, Sharpe 7, Ford 7, Bruce 8, Weatherly 7, Crabbe 6, White 7, Nicholl 6, Price 6
★WESTWOOD 9, Hughes 8
Sheff Utd: Richardson 6, Moore 7, Garner 7, Kenworthy 8, Houston 7, Trusson 7, Ryan 8, Neville 6, Charles 8, Hatton 7, ★PETERS 9
Referee: J. C. Deakin (Bedford)
Match Rating: ★★

MILLWALL (0) 0
WALSALL (0) 1 (O'Kelly 71)
Att: 2,785
Millwall: Jackson 6, Roberts 6, Sinton 5, Chatterton 5, Tagg 5, Blyth 5, Martin 5, McKenna 5, Mehmet 5, ★DIBBLE 7, Kinsella 6
Walsall: Turner 6, Macken 6, Harrison 6, Serella 5, Barnes 5, Hart 5, Penn 6, ★O'KELLY 7, Smith 6, Buckley 6, Caswell 6
Referee: L. F. Burden (Corfe Mullen)
Match Rating: ★★

NEWPORT (2) 2 (Aldridge 17, Clement og 24)
FULHAM (0) 1 (Beck pen 67)
Att: 6,029
Newport: Kendall 7, Walden 6, Bailey 7, Bruton 6, Oakes 6, Tynan 6, Vaughan 6, Lowndes 7, Gwyther 6, ★ALDRIDGE 8, Moore 7
Fulham: Digweed 7, Clement 6, Strong 6, Beck 6, Brown 6, Gale 6, O'Driscoll 6, ★DAVIES 8, Greenaway 7 (sub: Peters 6), Wilson 6, Goodlass 7
Referee: M. Heath (Stoke-on-Trent)
Match Rating: ★★

PLYMOUTH (0) 0
BRENTFORD (0) 1 (Smith 63)
Att: 7,249
Plymouth: Crudgington 7, Harrison 5, James 6, Randell 6, Foster 5, Philipson Masters 5, ★COOPER 8, Kemp 7, Sims 6, Bason 6, Murphy 5
Brentford: ★McKELLAR 8, Shrubbs 7, Hill 6, Salman 7, Kruse 6, Hurlock 6, Smith 7, Harris 6, Booker 5, Walker 5, Crown 6
Referee: H. W. King (Merthyr Tydfil)
Match Rating: ★★

Division Four

ALDERSHOT (2) 2 (Garwood 7, French 15)
TORQUAY (0) 1 (Coffill 56)
Att: 2,892
Aldershot: Johnson 6, Scott 6, Wooler 6, Briley 7, Youlden 6, Jopling 6, McGregor 6 (sub: Bennett), French 7, ★GARWOOD 8, Crosby 7, Robinson 6
Torquay: O'Keefe 6, Pethard 6, Cochrane 6, Jones 6, Bourne 6, Wilson 6 (sub: Lawrence 6), ★FELL 7, Cooper 6, Bowker 6, Twitchin 6, Coffill 6
Referee: A. Gunn (Burgess Hill)
Match Rating: ★★

BURY (1) 2 (Hilton 31, Tully 89)
HEREFORD (1) 1 (Hunt 24)
Att: 2,263
Bury: Southall 6, Howard 6,

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★WHITEHEAD 7, Cruickshank 6, Kennedy 6, Madden 6, Gore 6, Jacob 6, Hilton 6, Johnson 5, Tully 5
Hereford: Brand 6, Price 6, Dobson 6, ★CORNES 7, Thomas 6, Hunt 6, String 5, Spring 5, Bartley 6, Jones 6, White 6
Referee: D. T. Richardson (Lincoln)
Match Rating: ★★

DARLINGTON (2) 4 (McLean pen 15, pen 68, Speedie 37, Walsh 48)
ROCHDALE (2) 4 (Taylor 6, Esser 10, Jones 67, Wellings 89)
Att: 1,579
Darlington: Siddall 6, Kamara 7, McLean 6, Smith 6, Skipper 5, ★SPEEDIE 8, Hawker 5, Charlton 5, Stalker 6, Hamilton 5, Walsh 7
Rochdale: Crawford 6, Jones 5, Weir 5, ★ESSER 8, Burke 5, Taylor 6, Wann 6, O'Laughlin 5, Hilditch 6, Wellings 7, Martine 7
Referee: D. Hutchinson (Harrrogate)
Match Rating: ★★

HALIFAX (1) 2 (Graham 29, Hendrie 55)
BRADFORD (0) 0
Att: 2,365
Halifax: Kilner 7, Dunleavy 7, Goodman 6, Evans 7, Harris 7, Hendrie 8, Firth 7, Graham 7, Johnson 6 (sub: Whiteley), O'Neil 7, ★McILWRAITH 9
Bradford: Smith 7, ★PODD 8, Watson 6, Ingham 7, Jackson 7, Wood 6, Chapman 6, Stanforth 7, Campbell 6, McNeven 7, Hutchins 6
Referee: N. Midgley (Salford)
Match Rating: ★★

SCUNTHORPE (1) 1 (Cammack 20)
DONCASTER (1) 1 (Nimmo 29)
Att: 4,053
Scunthorpe: Neenan 7, Partridge 7, Jarvis 5, Grimes 6, Dall 5, ★OATES 8, Pugh 6, Cammack 6, Lambert 6, Green 6 (sub: Ashworth 6), O'Berg 6
Doncaster: Boyd 6, Russell 6, Lally 7, (sub: Harle), Luster 6, Dowie 7, Dowd 7, Mell 6, Nimmo 7, Warboys 6, ★SNODIN, G. 8, Little 6
Referee: T. Farley (Newton Aycliffe)
Match Rating: ★★

WIMBLEDON (0) 2 Leslie 88, Cork 90)
PETERBOROUGH (0) 1 (Quow 73)
Att: 1,901
Wimbledon: Beasant 7, Brown 6, Armstrong 7, ★GALLIERS 8, Smith 5, Cunningham 6, Ketteridge 6, Hodges 7, Leslie 7, Cork 7, Hubbick 6
Peterborough: Waugh 7, Winters 6, Robson 7, Hodgson 6, Slough 6, Foster 6, ★QUOW 8, Kellock 7, Cooke 7, Syrett 6, Gallagher 5 (sub: Guy 5)
Referee: D. Letts (Basingstoke)
Match Rating: ★★

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Quarter-final, second leg

CHESTERFIELD (2) 3 (Bonnyman 15,
18, Moss 64)
RANGERS (0) 0
Att 13,914
(Chesterfield win 4-1 on aggregate)

Wednesday, Oct. 29

League Cup Fourth Round

MANCHESTER CITY (2) 5 (Tueart
43, 57, 82, 84, Bennett 16)
NOTTS COUNTY (0) 1 (Christie 58)
Att 26,363
Man City: Corrigan 6, Ranson 6,
Power 6, Reid 7, Henry 6, Caton 7,
★TUEART 9, Buckley 7, Mackenzie
7, Bennett 7, Reeves 6 (sub Sugrue).
Notts County: Avramovic 8,
Benjamin 6, O'Brien 7, Harkouk 6,
Kilcline 6, Richards 6, McCulloch 6,
★MASSON 8, Christie 6 (sub
Wood), Hunt 6, Hooks 6
Referee: D. Shaw (Sandbach)
Match Rating: ★★

WBA (0) 0
PRESTON (0) 0
Att 17,579
WBA: Godden 6, Batson 6, Statham
6, Moses 5, Wile 6, ★ROBERTSON
7, Robson 5, Brown A 6, Regis 8,
Trewick 5, Barnes 4 (sub Mills 5).



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Blackley 7, Doyle 6 (sub Bell 6),
Coleman 6, Elliott 7, Bruce 7, McGee
7
Referee: N. Ashley (Nantwich)
Match Rating: ★★

Division One

NORWICH (1) 1 (Fashanu 15)
CRYSTAL PALACE (1) 1 (Francis 10)
Att 15,782
Norwich: Hansbury 6, Bond 7, Downs
7, ★McGUIRE 8, Hoadley 6,
Nightingale 7, Barham 6, Fashanu 7,
Royle 6, Paddon 6, Goble 6.
Crystal Palace: Barron 7,
Hinshelwood 7, Fenwick 6, Nicholas
6, Cannon 7, Gilbert 7, Lovell 6,
★FRANCIS 9, Walsh 7, Flanagan 6,
Smilie 6
Referee: C. Maskell (Cambridge)
Match Rating: ★★

Division Three

CHESTER (0) 0
HUDDERSFIELD (2) 2 (Kindon 13,
Robins 17)
Att 4,331
Chester: Mifflington 4, Raynor 5,
Walker 6, Storton 5, Cottam 5,
Gendall 6, Birch 4, Phillips 5, Howat
6, ★JONES 8, Ludlam 6
Huddersfield: Rankin 7, Brown 5,
Robinson 6, Stanton 6, Sutton 5,
Hanvey 6, Laverick 5, Kennedy 6,
★KINDON 8, Robins 7, Cowling 7
Referee: R. Chadwick (Darwen)
Match Rating: ★★

OXFORD (0) 1 (Shotton, pen 79)
ROTHERHAM (0) 1 (Moore, pen 83)
Att 3,064
Oxford: Burton 5, Briggs 5, Fogg 6,
Jeffrey 6, Cooke 6, Shotton 5, Brock
6, ★TAYLOR 7, Berry 5, Foley 6,
Lythgoe 5 (sub Graydon).
Rotherham: Mountford 6, Forrest 5
(sub Winn), Breckin 6, Rhodes 6,
Stanciliffe 5, Mullen 5, Tiler 5,
Gooding 6, ★MOORE 7, Seasman 5,
Henson 5
Referee: R. W. Toseland (Market
Harborough)
Match Rating: ★★

Division Four

CREWE (1) 1 (Bowers 43)
SOUTHEND (1) 1 (Spence 41)
Att 4,217
Crewe: Mulhearn 6, McMahon 8,
Lewis 7, ★HUNTER 9, Scott 7,
Prophet 7, Guy 5, Coyne 6, Conroy 6,
Palios 6, Bowers 7
Southend: Cawston 7, Dudley 6,
Yates 7, ★HADLEIGH 8, Moody 6,
Cusack 5, Gray 7, Pountney 7,
Spence 6, Polycarpou 6, Otulakowski
7
Referee: A. Dobson (Blackburn)
Match Rating: ★★

LINCOLN (0) 2 (Neale 69, Thompson
85)
TRANMERE (0) 0
Att 4,638
Lincoln: Felgate 6, Thompson 7,
Keeley 5, Hughes 6, Peake 6, Carr 6,
Neale 7, Turner 5, ★HOBSON 8
(sub Cunningham 5), Harford 6,
Shipley 6
Tranmere: Johnson 7, Mathias 5,
Flood 5, Williams 5, Bramhall 6,
Evans 5, Edwards 5, Mungall 6,
★HAMILTON 8, Lumby 7, Beamish
6
Referee: A. J. Hamil (Wolverhampton)
Match Rating: ★★

WIGAN (1) 1 (Urquhart 19)
YORK (0) 0
Att 3,668
Wigan: Ward 6, Curtis 6, Kettle 7,
Urquhart 7, Methven 7, Fratwell 6,
★GLENN 8, Wright 7, Hutchinson 7,
Quinn 7, Corrigan 6 (sub Oliver 6)
York: ★BLACKBURN 7, Hood 5, Kay
5, Smith 5, Clements 8, Craig 6,
Walsh 5, Byrne 6, Eccles 5, Millar 5,
McDonald 6 (sub Ford 5)
Referee: M. Peck (Kendall)
Match Rating: ★★

Scottish League Cup

Quarter-final, second leg

ABERDEEN (0) 0
DUNDEE (1) 1 (Fraser 86)
Att. 12,000
(Dundee win 1-0 on aggregate)

DUNDEE UNITED (2) 4 (Ward 18,
46, Sturrock 23, Hegarty 69)
CLYDEBANK (0) 1 (Fallon 80)
Att 5,000
(Dundee United win 5-3 on aggregate)
Semi-final draw: Ayr United v Dundee
(first leg to be played November 5),
Dundee United v Celtic (November 12)

Friday, Oct. 31

Division Two

CARDIFF (0) 0
CHELSEA (1) 1 (Hutchings 37)
Att 8,489
Cardiff: Groter 8, Jones 6, Lewis 6,
Grapes 6 (sub Micalieff 5), Pontin 7,
★DWYER 8, Bishop 5, Kitchen 5,
Stevens 5, Ronson 7, Buchanan 6,
Chelsea: Borota 6, Nutton 6, Rofe 8,
Bumstead 6, Droy 5, ★CHIVERS 8,
Driver 5, Fillery 7 (sub Hutchings 7),
Lee 7, Walker 7, Rhoades-Brown 6
Referee: L. C. Shapter (Torquay)
Match Rating: ★★

Division Four

NORTHAMPTON (1) 2 (Phillips 30,
55)
HALIFAX (1) 1 (McIlwraith pen 29)
Att 2,226
Northampton: Poole 6, Saxby 6,
Sandercock 6, Waldock 6, Gage 6,
Carlton 6, Denyer 8, ★PHILLIPS 8,
Williams 6, Farmer 6, Heeley 7
Halifax: Kilner 7, Dunneavy 6, Burton
6, Evans 6, Goodman 7 (sub Whiteley
5), Hendrie 6, Firth 6, Graham 7,
Nattrass 6, ★McILWRAITH 8, O'Neil
6
Referee: C. Downey (Hounslow)
Match Rating: ★★

SOUTHEND (1) 2 (Gray 27, Mercer
87)
STOCKPORT (0) 0
Att 5,716
Southend: Cawston 7, Stead 6, Yates
7, Hadley 7, Dudley 7, Cusack 7,
★GRAY 8, Pountney 7, Spence 6,
Mercer 7, Otulakowski 6 (sub
Polycarpou 6)
Stockport: Lawson 7, Rutter 6,
Sherlock 7, Fowler 6, ★SWORD 8,
Bradd 7, Williams 7, Sunley 6, Coyle
5, Thorpe 5, Galvin 7
Referee: A. W. Ward (London)
Match Rating: ★★

TRANMERE (2) 3 Evans 29, Lumby
34, 52)
BURY (0) 1 (Madden 78)
Att 2,426
Tranmere: Johnson 6, Mathias 5
(sub Griffiths 7), Floods 6, Williams
6, ★BRAMHALL 8, Evans 6, Peplow
6, Mungall 7, Lumby 7, Beamish 5,
Hamilton 7
Bury: Southall 5, Howard 6, Kennedy

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6, Gore 5, Whitehead 5 (sub. Tully 5), Cruickshank 5, Mullen 6, Madden 6, Johnson 5, Jakub 5, ★HILTON 7.
Referee: P. W. Willis (Durham)
Match Rating: ★★★

Saturday, Nov. 1

Division One

ARSENAL (0) 2 (Rix 74, McDermott 79)
BRIGHTON (0) 0
Att: 28,569
Arsenal: Wood 7, Devine 7, Sansom 7, Talbot 7, Walford 7, Young 7, Hollins 7, Sunderland 6, Stapleton 6, ★McDERMOTT 8, Rix 7.
Brighton: Moseley 7, Gregory 7, Cohen 7, ★HORTON 8, Foster 7, Lawrenson 7, Stevens 6, Ritchie 7, Robinson 7, Smith 8, O'Sullivan 6.
Referee: D. W. Civil (Birmingham)
Match Rating: ★★

ASTON VILLA (0) 2 (Shaw 65, Cowans 69)
LEICESTER (0) 0
Att: 29,953
Aston Villa: Rimmer 6, ★SWAIN 8, Deacy 6 (sub. Williams 7), Evans 7, McNaught 7, Mortimer 6, Bremner 6, Shaw 6, Withe 7, Cowans 7, Morley 7.
Leicester: Wallington 6, Carr 7, Gibson 6, Williams 6, May 7, ★SCOTT 8, Melrose 6, Henderson 7, Young 6, Wilson 6, Smith 6.
Referee: R. Bridges (Deeside)
Match Rating: ★★★

COVENTRY CITY (2) 2 (Hunt 8, Bodak 23)
LEEDS (0) 1 (Connor 62)
Att: 13,970
Coventry: ★SEALEY 8, Coop 7, Roberts 7, Gooding 7 (sub. Thomas 6), Dyson 7, Gillespie 7, Bodak 6, Blair 7, Hateley 6, Van Gool 6, Hunt 6.
Leeds: Lukic 6, Greenhoff 7, Madeley 7, Flynn 7, Hart 7, Cherry 7, Harris 7, ★HIRD 8, Connor 6, Gray 7, Graham 7.
Referee: B. Hill (Kettering)
Match Rating: ★★★

CRYSTAL PALACE (1) 1 (Nicholas 30)
MANCHESTER UNITED (0) 0
Att: 31,181
Crystal Palace: Barron 7, Hinshelwood 7, Fenwick 7, Nicholas 8, Cannon 7, Gilbert 7, Lovell 7, ★FRANCIS 9, Walsh 7, Flanagan 7, Smillie 8.
Man Utd: Bailey 7, Nichol 7, Albiston 8, McIlroy 7, Jovanovic 7, Moran 6, Coppell 8, Birtles 6, Jordan 6, ★MACARI 9, Thomas 6.
Referee: J. Martin (Alton)
Match Rating: ★★★

EVERTON (1) 2 (Eastoe 27, McMahon 66)
TOTTENHAM (1) 2 (Archibald 34, 54)
Att: 26,174
Everton: McDonagh 7, ★GIDMAN 9, Bailey 8, Wright 7, Lyons 7, Stanley 7, McMahon 7, Eastoe 8, Latchford 7 (sub. O'Keefe 7), Hartford 7, McBride 7.
Spurs: Daines 7, Smith 7, Hughton 8, Miller 7, Lacy 7, Perryman 7, Ardiles 7, ★ARCHIBALD 9, Villa 7, Huddle 8, Crooks 8.
Referee: C. N. Seel (Carlisle)
Match Rating: ★★★

IPSWICH (0) 0
WBA (0) 0
Att: 24,043
Ipswich: Cooper 5 (sub. Turner 6), Burley 7, Mills 7, Thijssen 7,

★OSMAN 8, Butcher 7, Wark 7, Muhren 7, Gates 7, Brazil 7, McCall 7.
WBA: Godden 7, Trewick 7, ★STATHAM 8 (sub. Benjamin), Moses 7, Wile 7, Robertson 7, Robson 7, Brown, A. 7, Regis 7, Mills 6, Monaghan 6.
Referee: A. Grey (Gt Yarmouth)
Match Rating: ★★★

MANCHESTER CITY (0) 1 (Power 61)
NORWICH CITY (0) 0
Att: 33,056
Man City: Corrigan 7, Ranson 6, ★McDONALD 8, Reid 6, Caton 6, Power 7, Tueart 7, MacKenzie 6, Gow 5, Hutchison 6 (sub. Daley 6), Bennett 7.
Norwich: Hansbury 7, ★BOND 8, Downes 8, McGuire 6, Hoadley 7 (sub. Powell), Nightingale 5, Barham 6, Fashanu 5, Royle 6, Paddon 6, Goble 5.
Referee: G. Tyson (Sunderland)
Match Rating: ★★★

MIDDLESBROUGH (1) 1 (Jankovic 44)
BIRMINGHAM (0) 2 (Worthington 63, 89)
Att: 14,061
Middlesbrough: Platt 6, Craggs 6, Bailey 5, Johnston 6, Angus 6, McAndrew 6, Hedley 5, Proctor 6, ★HODGSON 8, Jankovic 7, Armstrong 7.
Birmingham: Wealands 7, Langan 7, Dennis 6, Curbishley 6, Gallagher 6, Todd 6, Ainscow 6, Bertschin 7, ★WORTHINGTON 8, Gemmill 7, Dillon 6.
Referee: D. A. Webb (Sale)
Match Rating: ★★

NOTTINGHAM FOREST (2) 2 (Ward 7, Robertson pen 44)
SOUTHAMPTON (1) 1 (Moran 13)
Att: 24,669
Notm Forest: Shilton 7, Anderson 6, ★GRAY 9, Ponte 8, Lloyd 6, Burns 6, O'Neill 7, Bowyer 6, Ward 8, Wallace 6, Robertson 7.
Southampton: Katalinic 6, Golac 6, Waldron 6, Williams 7, Watson 6, Nicholl 6, Baker 6, Channon 6, Boyer 7, Holmes 7, ★MORAN 8.
Referee: G. Courtney (Co Durham)
Match Rating: ★★
Sending Off: Waldron 63

STOKE (0) 2 (Chapman 47, Randall 90)
LIVERPOOL (1) 2 (Johnson 24, Dalglish 79)
Att: 22,864
Stoke: Fox 7, Evans 6, Hampton 7, ★DODD 8, O'Callaghan 6, Doyle 6 (sub. Randall 6), Bracewell 7, Heath 7, Chapman 7, Richardson 7, Munro 7.
Liverpool: Clemence 7, Neal 6, Kennedy, A. 7, Thompson 6, ★KENNEDY, R. 8, Hansen 6, Dalglish 7, Lee 7, Johnson 7, McDermott 7, Souness 7.
Referee: K. Baker (Rugby)
Match Rating: ★★★

WOLVES (2) 2 (Clarke 8, 21)
SUNDERLAND (1) 1 (Allardyce 16)
Att: 18,816
Wolves: Bradshaw 7, Humphrey 7, Palmer 6, Daniel 6, ★BRAZIER 8, Villazan 7, Hibbitt 6, Atkinson 6, Clarke 7, Richards 6, Eves 6.
Sunderland: Turner 7, Whitworth 7, Bolton 6, Allardyce 7, Elliott 6, Buckley 7, Arnold 6, Rowell 5, Cooke 7, Brown 6, ★CUMMINS 8.
Referee: D. Vickers (Ilford)
Match Rating: ★★
Sending Off: Palmer 65

Division Two

BLACKBURN (0) 0
SWANSEA (0) 0
Att: 10,846
Blackburn: Butcher 8, Branagan 7, Rathbone 7, Kendall 7, Keeley 8, Fazakerley 8, Brotherston 7, McKenzie 7, Garner 8, Speight 7, ★STONEHOUSE 9.
Swansea: Stewart 8, Attley 7, Hadziabdic 7, Mahoney 7, Rushbury 8, Phillips 8, Giles 7 (sub. James, R. 7), Waddle 7, James, L. 8, Charles 8, ★ROBINSON 9.
Referee: T. L. Morris (Leeds)
Match Rating: ★★

BRISTOL ROVERS (0) 0
WEST HAM (1) 1 (Goddard 27)
Att: 6,328
Bristol Rovers: Thomas 6, Gillies 7, Bater 6, McCaffery 6, Hughes 7, ★COOPER 8, Barrowclough 5 (sub. Emmanuel), Williams, G. 7, Mabbutt 7, Bates 6, Barrett 7.
West Ham: ★PARKES 8, Stewart 6, Lampard 6, Bonds 7, Martin 7, Devonshire 6 (sub. Brush), Holland 6, Goddard 7, Cross 6, Neighbour 6, Pike 7.
Referee: L. M. Robinson (West Midlands)
Match Rating: ★★

BOLTON (1) 6 (Kidd 38, 61, 66, Whatmore 53, Hoggan 74, Cantello 89)
CAMBRIDGE (0) 1 (Taylor 55)
Att: 8,016
Bolton: Poole 6, Nicholson 7, Burke 6, Cantello 7, Jones 8, Walsh 8, Reid 7, Whatmore 7, Carter 7 (sub. Hoggan 7), ★KIDD 9, Gowing 7.
Cambridge: ★KEY 8, Donaldson 6, Buckley 6, Smith 6, Fallon 6, Gibbins 7 (sub. Finney 6), O'Neill 6, Spriggs 6, Reilly 7, Taylor 7, Christie 6.
Referee: P. Partridge (Co Durham)
Match Rating: ★★

DERBY (0) 1 (Biley 49)
SHREWSBURY (1) 1 (Keay pen 2)
Att: 15,784
Derby: Jones 6, Emery 6, Buckley 7, Sheridan 6, Powell, S. 6, Osgood 6, Clark 5, Hector 7, Biley 7, Swindlehurst 7, ★EMSON 8.
Shrewsbury: Wardle 6, King 7, Leonard 6, Potts 6 (sub. Turner 6), Griffin 7, Keay 7, Tong 6, Atkins 6, Biggins 7, ★DUNGWORTH 8, Cross 6.
Referee: K. A. Redfern (Whitley Bay)
Match Rating: ★★

GRIMSBY (0) 0
QPR (0) 0
Att: 10,015
Grimsby: Batch 7, Stone 6, Crosby 6, Waters 7, Wigginton 6, ★MOORE, K. 8, Brolly 6 (sub. Kilmore 6), Ford 6, Drinkell 6, Mitchell 6, Cumming 5.
QPR: Woods 7, Shanks 7, Gillard 7, Waddock 7, ★WICKS 8, Howe 6, Roeder 6 (sub. Wilkins), King 7, Neal 6, Langley 6, Silkman 6.
Referee: A. Challinor (Maltby)
Match Rating: ★★

NEWCASTLE (2) 2 (Hibbitt 12, Shinton 22)
WATFORD (1) 1 (Poskett 44)
Att: 14,619
Newcastle: Carr 7, Carney 6, Johnson 7, Martin 6, ★BOAM 8, Mitchell 6, Shinton 7, Wharton 7, Clarke 7, Shoulder 5, Hibbitt 7.
Watford: Steele 6, Henderson 7, Harrison 6, Blissett 7, Sims 6, Jackett 6, Poskett 7, Ward 5, Jenkins 6, ★TRAIN 8, Roston 5.
Referee: D. Richardson (Great Harwood)
Match Rating: ★★

OLDHAM (1) 1 (Keegan 36)
PRESTON (1) 1 (Bruce 13)
Att: 6,739
Oldham: McDonnell 5, Sinclair 7, Blair 6, Kowenicki 6, ★CLEMENTS 8, Hurst 7, Hilton 5, Stainrod 5, Wylde 5, Keegan 6, Heaton 5.
Preston: Tunks 6, Westwell 6, McAteer 6, Burns 5, Baxter 6, ★BLACKLEY 8, Bell 6, Coleman 7, Elliott 5 (sub. O'Riordan 5), Bruce 6, McGee 5.
Referee: D. G. Reeves (Leicester)
Match Rating: ★★

ORIENT (1) 3 (Chiedozie 11, Parsons 70, Moores 88)
BRISTOL CITY (1) 1 (Mabbutt 12)
Att: 4,689
Orient: Day 7, Fisher 6, Roffey 6, Taylor 6, Gray 7, Parsons 7, ★CHIEDOZIE 8, Moores 6, Mayo 6, Bowles 7, Margerrison 7.
Bristol City: Cashley 7, Sweeney 6, Hay 6, ★MANN 8, Whitehead 7, Merrick 6, Tainton 6, Fitzpatrick 6, Mabbutt 7, Ritchie 6, Garland 5.
Referee: C. A. Maskell (Cambridge)
Match Rating: ★★

LUTON (0) 3 (Moss pen 51, 68, White 80)
SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY (0) 0
Att: 12,092
Luton: Judge 7, Stephens 6, Donaghy 6, Grealish 7, Goodyear 7, Price 6, ★HILL 8, Stein 7, White 7, Aizlewood 6, Moss 7.
Sheffield Wed: ★BOLDER 8, Blackhall 5, Grant 6, Smith 6, Pickering 6, Hornsby 6, Taylor 5 (sub. Mirocevic 7), Johnson 6, Sterland 5, McCulloch 7, Curran 7.
Referee: T. G. Bune (Cranleigh)
Match Rating: ★★

WREXHAM (1) 1 (McNeil 21)
NOTTS COUNTY (1) 1 (Hooks 31)
Att: 6,221
Wrexham: Davies 6, Salathiel 6 (sub. Hill 6), Jones 6, Davis 6, Cegielski 6, Carrodus 5, ★FOX 7, Sutton 5, McNeil 6, Vinter 5, Cartwright 6.
Notts County: Avramovic 7, Benjamin 7, O'Brien 7, Harkouk 6, ★KILCLINE 8, Richards 7, McCulloch 6, Masson 7, Christie 6, Hunt 6, Hooks 6 (sub. Kelly 6).
Referee: R. A. Banks (Manchester)
Match Rating: ★★

Division Three

BARNESLEY (1) 2 (Aylott 9, Glavin 58)
CHESTER (0) 0
Att: 9,330
Barnsley: New 6, Joyce 7, Chambers 7, Glavin 7, Banks 6, McArthur 7, Evans 7, ★RILEY 8, Aylott 7, Lester 6, Dawnes 6.
Chester: Millington 6, Raynor 5, Walker 6, ★STORTON 7, Cottam 6, Gendall 5, Birch 5, Phillips 5, Howat 6, Jones 5, Ludlam 5.
Referee: M. Scott (Nottingham)
Match Rating: ★★

BLACKPOOL (1) 2 (McEwan pen 37, Ashurst 52)
NEWPORT (2) 4 (Aldridge 27, Gwyther 43, Oakes 63, Tynan 72)
Att: 4,556
Blackpool: Rush 5, Simonite 5 (sub. ★GREENALL 6), Brockbank 5, Ball 5, Ashurst 5, McEwan 5, Morgan 6, Bamber 4, Hockaday 5, Morris 5, Williams 5.
Newport: Kendall 6, Walden 6, Bailey 6, Bruton 6, Oakes 7, Tynan 7, Vaughan 6, Lowndes 6, Gwyther 7, ★ALDRIDGE 8, Moore 6.
Referee: M. G. Peck (Kerdal)
Match Rating: ★★

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BRENTFORD (1) 3 (Hill 35, Crown 63, 68)

OXFORD (0) 0

Att: 6,500

Brentford: McKellar 6, Shrubbs 7, Hill 7, Salman 7, Kruse 7, Hurlock 6, Funnel 7, Harris 6, Smith 6, Walker 6, ★**CROWN 8**.

Oxford: Burton 6, Briggs 7, Fogg 7, ★**JEFFREY 8**, Cooke 7, Shotton 5, McIntosh 6, Taylor 6, Berry 7 (sub. Kingston), Jones 6, Lythgoe 6.

Referee: M. J. Taylor (Kent)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

FULHAM (1) 1 (Wilson 31)

CHESTERFIELD (0) 1 (Birch 66)

Att: 4,706

Fulham: Peyton 7, ★**STRONG 8**, Lock 7, Beck 5, Brown 6, Gale 7, O'Driscoll 7, Davies 6, Mahoney 5 (sub. Peters), Wilson 7, Goodlass 7.

Chesterfield: ★**TURNER 8**, Tartt 6, Pollard 6, Wilson 6, Green 5, Ridley 5, Birch 7, Moss 7, Bonnyman 6, Salmons 6, Walker 6.

Referee: D. Letts (Basingstoke)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

HULL (1) 1 (Deacy 42)

PLYMOUTH (0) 0

Att: 3,367

Hull: Norman 7, Nisbet 6, ★**HAIGH 8**, Swann 5, Roberts, J. 7, Roberts, G. 6, Marwood 6, Moss 7, Edwards 5, Whitehurst 5, Deacy 6.

Plymouth: Crudgington 6, Harrison 6, James 7, Randall 7, Foster 6, Phillipson-Masters 6, Cooper 6, Kemp 7, Sims 6, Bason 7, ★**MURPHY 8**.

Referee: J. B. Worrall (Warrington)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

HUDDERSFIELD (0) 0

CHARLTON (0) 1 (Walker 72)

Att: 11,329

Huddersfield: Rankin 6, Brown 7, Robinson 6, Stanton 6 (sub. Lillis), Sutton 6, Hanvey 6, Laverick 7, ★**KENNEDY 8**, Kindon 7, Robins 6, Cowling 7.

Charlton: Johns 6, Gritt 7, Madden 7, Shaw 6, Berry 6, ★**TYDEMAN 8**, Powell 7, Lazarus 6, Hales 6, Walker 7, Robinson 7.

Referee: G. Flint (Kirby Ashfield)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

PORTSMOUTH (1) 2 (Gregory 32, Showers 89)

CARLISLE (0) 1 (Beardsley 89)

Att: 13,913

Portsmouth: ★**MELLOR 8**, McLaughlin 6, Viney 6, Barnard 6, Davey 7, Garner 7, Gregory 6, Tait 5, Showers 5, Bryant 5, Rogers 5.

Carlisle: Swinburne 6, Hoolickin 6, Coady 5, McDonald 6, Hamilton 5, Parker 7, Stanforth 6, Metcalfe 6, Bannion 5, ★**BEARDSLEY 8**.

McAuley 5 (sub. Coughlin)

Referee: J. Deakin (Bedford)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

READING (1) 2 (Hicks 5, Williams 84)

EXETER (0) 1 (Kellow 71)

Att: 4,622

Reading: Death 5, Joslyn 5, Lewis 5, Bowman 6, Hicks 6, Hetzke 5, ★**EARLES 8**, Webb 7, Dixon 4, Sanchez 5 (sub. Williams 7), Beavon 5.

Exeter: Bond 6, Rogers, M. 6, Hatch 5, Forbes 6, Roberts 6, Pearson 6, Rogers, P. 6, Kellow 6, Delve 6, ★**PULLAR 7**.

Referee: K. G. Salmon (Barnet)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

ROTHERHAM (2) 3 (Moore 24, 65 pen, Henson 35)

MILLWALL (0) 0

Att: 5,742

Rotherham: Mountford 7, Tiler 7,

Breckin 6, Rhodes 7, Stancliffe 8, Mullen 8, ★**FERN 9**, Gooding 7 (sub. Winn), Moore 8, Seaman 8, Henson 7.

Millwall: Jackson 6, Robert 7, Robinson 6, Chatterton 7, Tagg 7, Sittin 6, Kinsella 7, McKenna 6, Bartley 6, Dibble 6, ★**MARTIN 8**.

Referee: N. Midgley (Salford)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

SHEFFIELD UTD (2) 3 (Kenworthy pen 1, Tursson 42, Charles 72)

COLCHESTER (0) 0

Att: 11,810

Sheff Utd: Richardson 7, Moore 7, Garner 7, Kenworthy 7, McPhail 6, Trusson 7, Ryan 7, ★**NEVILLE 8**, Charles 7, Hutton 7, Peters 6.

Colchester: Walker 7, Cook 6, Longhorn 7, ★**LESLIE 8**, Wignall 7, Packer 6, Evans 6, Cotton 6, Bremner 6, Lee 7, Allinson 6.

Referee: G. Nolan (Stockport)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

SWINDON (0) 0

BURNLEY (1) 3 (Carter og 22, Scott 79, 90)

Att: 6,191

Swindon: Allan 7, Trollope 7, Peach 7, Kamara 5 (sub. Rollings 6), ★**LEWIS 8**, Carter 5, Miller 6, Cockerill 5, Rowland 6, Mayes 7, Williams 6.

Burnley: Stevenson 7, Laws 6, Holt 6, Scott 8, Overson 7, Dobson 7, Cassidy 8, ★**POTTS 9**, Hamilton 6, Taylor 7, Cavenor 7.

Referee: M. J. Bidmead (Chessington)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

WALSALL (3) 3 (Hart 23, Paul 31, O'Kelly 34)

GILLINGHAM (2) 3 (Nicholl 13, Westwood 40, Price 53)

Att: 4,060

Walsall: Turner 6, Macken 7, Caswell 7, Serella 7, Baines 6, Hart 7, Waddington 7, ★**O'KELLY 8**, Smith 7, Buckley 7, Paul 7.

Gillingham: Hillyard 7, Sharpe 6, Ford 7, Overton 7, Weatherly 7, Crabbe 6, White 7, Nicholl 7, ★**PRICE 8**, Westwood 7, Hughes 7.

Referee: K. Walmsley (Blackpool)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

Division Four

BOURNEMOUTH (0) 3 (Moore 82, Massey 89, Ferns 90)

WIGAN (0) 0

Att: 2,983

Bournemouth: (Allen 7)

★**CUNNINGHAM 8**, Moore 7, Impey 7, Compton 6, Heffernan 7, Ferns 7, Spackman 7, Morgan 6, Massey 6, Evanson 6.

Wigan: Ward 6, Curtis 6, Kettle 7, Fretwell 6, Hutchinson 5 (sub. Corrigan 5), Quinn 5, Urquhart 5.

Referee: E. Read (Bristol)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

BRADFORD (1) 1 (Dolan 36)

ALDERSHOT (0) 0

Att: 2,279

Bradford: Smith 6, Podd 7, Watson 7, Ingham 6, Jackson 6, Wood 6, ★**CHAPMAN 8**, Stanforth 6, Campbell 6, Dolan 7, Hutchins 7.

Aldershot: Horn 7, Scott 6, Wooler 6, ★**BRILEY 8**, Bennett 6, Jopling 6, Lucas 6, French 7, Garwood 6, Crosby 6, Robinson 7.

Referee: A. Dobson (Blackburn)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

DONCASTER (0) 2 (Brown og 54, Mell 88)

WIMBLEDON (0) 1 (Cork pen 56)

Att: 3,245

Doncaster: Boyd 7, Russell 6, Lally 7,

Lister 7, Dowie 6, Dowd 7, Mell 7, Nimmo 6, ★**WARBOYS 8** (sub. Pugh), Snodin, G. 7, Little 7.

Wimbledon: Beasant 6, Brown 6, Armstrong 6, ★**GALLIERS 8**, Smith 7, Cunningham 6, Ketteridge 7, Hodges 7, Leslie 6, Cork 7, Hubbick 6.

Referee: D. Shaw (Sandbach)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

HARTLEPOOL (5) 6 (Kerr 3, Houchen 14, 40, Newton 22, 28, Hampton 72)

CREWE (1) 2 (Coyne 23, 57)

Att: 3,089

Hartlepool: Burleigh 7, Sweeney 7, Brown 7, Hogan 8, Bird 8, Linacre 8, ★**KERR 9**, Lawrence 7, Newton 8, Houchen 8, Hampton 7.

Crewe: Mulhearn 7, McMahon 6 (sub. Nelson 6), ★**LEWIS 8**, Hunter 6, Scott 6, Prophet 6, Guy 6, Coyne 7, Davies 7, Palios 6, Bowers 5.

Referee: D. T. Richardson (Lincoln)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

HEREFORD (0) 0

LINCOLN (0) 2 (Neale 76, 78)

Att: 2,755

Hereford: Brand 7, Spiring 6, Bartley 7, Cornes 7, Hicks 7, Harvey 6, Hunt 7, Strong 6 (sub. Ames 6), White 6, Jones 6, ★**THOMAS 8**.

Lincoln: Felgate 7, Thompson 6, Keeley 7, Hughes 6, Peake 6, Carr 7, Neale 7, ★**TURNER 8**, Hobson 6, Harford 6, Shipley 6.

Referee: J. M. Warner (Wednesbury)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

PETERBOROUGH (1) 1 (Kellock 33)

PORT VALE (0) 1 (Waugh og 82)

Att: 3,643

Peterborough: Waugh 5, Winters 6, Phillips 6, Hodgson 6 (sub. Gynn 6), Slough 7, Slack 7, ★**QUOW 8**, Kellock 7, Cooke 6, Syrett 6, Cliss 7.

Port Vale: Harrison 7, Brissett 6, Elshy 6, Beech 6, Bowles 7, ★**SPROSON 8**, Miller 7, Keenan 6 (sub. Bennett), Allen 7, Chamberlain 6, Bromage 6.

Referee: B. Daniels (Brentwood)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

ROCHDALE (0) 1 (O'Loughlin 89)

MANSFIELD (2) 4 (Mann 25, Austin 43, 48, 58 pen)

Att: 2,636

Rochdale: Crawford 5, Jones 5, Snookes 7, Esser 6 (sub. Seal 6), Burke 5, Taylor 5, Wann 6, O'Loughlin 7, Hilditch 6, ★**WELLINGS 8**, Martinez 7.

Mansfield: Arnold 8, McJannett 5, Foster 5, ★**HAMILTON 9**, McClelland 6, Bird 6, Allen 7 (sub. Wood), Mann 6, Austin 7, Parkinson 6, Pollard 6.

Referee: J. Hough (Macclesfield)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

YORK (1) 1 (Eccles 42)

SCUNTHORPE (0) 0

Att: 1,959

York: Blackburn 8, Hood 5, ★**KAY 9**, Ford 6, Clements 7, Craig 7, Walsh 7, Byrne 6, Eccles 6, McDonald 8, Richards 6.

Scunthorpe: Neenan 7, ★**PARTRIDGE 8**, Jarvis 5, Grimes 7, Dall 5, Oates 7, Pugh 6, Cammack 6, Lambert 6, Green 7, O'Berg 6 (sub. Ashworth 6).

Referee: P. Tildesley (Stockport)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

TORQUAY (0) 0

DARLINGTON (1) 2 (Hamilton 21, Stalker 54)

Att: 2,122

Torquay: O'Keefe 6, Jones 5, Twitchin 5, ★**PETHARD 7**, Bourne 6, Sermanni 6 (sub. Coffill), Feli 6, Lawrence 5, Cooper 5, Bowker 5, Weston 6.

Darlington: ★**SIDDALL 7**, Kamara 6,

McLaan 6, Smith 6, Skipper 6, Speedie 6, Hawker 6, Charlton 6, Stalker 6, Hamilton 6, Walsh 6.

Referee: B. Stevens (Stonehouse)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

Premier Division

ABERDEEN (3) 4 McCall 5, 27, 48, McGhee 41)

AIRDRIE (0) (Miller og 82)

Att: 9,000

Aberdeen: Leighton 7, Dornan 6, Rougiev 7, Watson 7, McLeish 7, Miller 6, Strachan 7, ★**McCALL 8**, McGhee 6 (sub. Davidson 6), Jarvie 7, Scanlon 7.

Airdrie: Martin 6, Walker 6, Rodgers 7, McCluskey 7, March 6, Anderson, N. 7, Thompson 6 (sub. Anderson, G. 6), ★**CLARK 8**, Russell 6, Gordon 7, McKeown 6, McCulloch 6.

Referee: A. Harris (Linthgow)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

HEARTS (0) 1 (Conn 76)

ST MIRREN (0) 1 (Somner 56)

Att: 5,707

Hearts: Westwater 7, Jefferies 6, Shields 7, Liddell 6, Bennie 7, Kidd 6, MacDonald 7, Bowman 6, Robinson 6, Conn 7, ★**GIBSON 8**.

St Mirren: Thomson 7, Young 6, Beckett 7, MacCormack 7, Copland 6, Abercrombie 7, Curren 6, Logan 7, Bone 6, ★**SOMNER 8**, Weir 6.

Referee: D. Murdoch (Bothwell)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

RANGERS (2) 3 (McAdam 21, 75, MacDonald 36)

CELTIC (0) 0

Att: 33,000

Rangers: McCloy 7, Jardine 7, Dawson 7, ★**JOHNSTONE 8**, Jackson 6, McLean 7, Bett 6, Redford 7, McAdam 7, MacDonald 7, Johnston 7.

Celtic: Bonnar 7, Sneddon 6, McGrain 7, McAdam 6, MacDonald 7, Aitken 6, Sullivan 6, ★**BURNS 8**, McGarvey 6 (sub. McCluskey 6), Nicholas 6 (sub. Doyle 6), Provan 7.

Referee: R. B. Valentine (Dundee)

Match Rating: ★★☆☆

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THE remainder of the Saturday programme will be published in next week's MATCH.

Kenny Swain

Don't miss our great pull-out poster of the Aston Villa star.

Next week

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An amazing Golden Goal from Vince Hilaire of Crystal Palace.

POP ROBSON

Sunderland's goalscoring ace teaches you more about the art of striking in the Match Soccer School.



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TEAMS TO TAKE ON THE WORLD

Match readers select their own world-beating sides from British players.

Action from LIVERPOOL v ABERDEEN Euro Cup tie second leg.

Mickey Thomas

by Joe Jordan!

The Man Utd striker talks about his team-mate in our 'Goalmakers' series.

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The Middlesbrough 'keeper invites the Match cameras into his home. See our super colour pictures next week.



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FULL NAME: John Prescott McGovern
BIRTHPLACE/DATE: Montrose, October 28, 1949
HEIGHT/WEIGHT: 5ft 8ins 10st 7lbs
MARRIED: No, but engaged to Ann
CAR: Escort RS 2000
PREVIOUS CLUBS: Hartlepool, Derby, Leeds
TRADE BEFORE TURNING PRO: Joined Hartlepool from school
WORST EVER INJURY: Pelvic strain
FAVOURITE FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYER AND WHY: Roy McFarland (Derby) — best central defender I've ever seen
FAVOURITE OTHER TEAM: Rangers
FAVOURITE PLAYER AND WHY: Pele — genius on the ball
BEST ALL TIME BRITISH TEAM: Nothing to choose between Forest's two European Cup winning sides
FAVOURITE AWAY GROUND: Old Trafford
FAVOURITE FOREIGN STADIUM AT WHICH YOU HAVE PLAYED: Barcelona
BEST GOAL SCORED: Against Chelsea for Derby County
BEST GOAL SEEN SCORED: Jimmy Greaves' linking run against Man United
MOST DIFFICULT OPPONENT: They're all difficult
MOST MEMORABLE MATCH: European Cup semi-final of 1979 when we beat Cologne 1-0 after drawing 3-3 at home.
OWN MAGIC MOMENT IN FOOTBALL: Any final whistle when we've won
BIGGEST DISAPPOINTMENT: It's disappointing to lose any matches
FAVOURITE OTHER SPORTS: Tennis, squash, cricket
MISCELLANEOUS LIKES: Art, wild west, cinema, music
MISCELLANEOUS DISLIKES: Rude people and gardening
FAVOURITE TV SHOW: Fawlty Towers
TV SHOW YOU ALWAYS SWITCH OFF: Crossroads, Coronation Street
FAVOURITE READING: Tolkein, Joseph Wambaugh, Ed McBain

FAVOURITE MUSICIAN/SINGER: Rolling Stones, Status Quo, Little Feat
FAVOURITE FOOD: Mince and tatties
FAVOURITE DRINK: Milk, Guinness, champagne
BEST COUNTRY VISITED: USA
FAVOURITE ACTOR/ACTRESS: John Wayne, Hedy Lamarr, Dirk Bogarde
BEST FILM SEEN IN PAST YEAR: Rocky II
BIGGEST INFLUENCE ON CAREER: Brian Clough, Peter Taylor
WHAT DON'T YOU LIKE ABOUT FOOTBALL: Cheats, hooligans
PRE-MATCH MEAL: Peaches and cornflakes
INTERNATIONAL HONOURS: 2 caps for Scotland U23
PROFESSIONAL AMBITION: To play until I'm 38!
PERSONAL AMBITION: To stay happy
CAREER AFTER PLAYING: What will be, will be
A PLAYER FOR THE FUTURE: Stuart Gray, Colin Walsh (Forest)
WHO WOULD YOU MOST LIKE TO MEET: Mick Jagger
ADVICE TO YOUNGSTERS: Do what your parents say and practise

John McGovern

